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POSTAL PAY VETO  
UPHELD IN SENATE  
BY ONLY ONE VOTE

Disapproval Sustained, 55 to 29, or One Less Than the Two-Thirds Needed to Override.

SHORTTRIDGE JOINS  
FOES OF PRESIDENT

Salary Increases Are Now Dependent Upon Passage of Measure to Boost the Postal Rates.

The Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—President Coolidge's veto of the postal pay bill was sustained today by the Senate.

The vote was 55 to 29, or one less than the two-thirds majority necessary to pass the measure over executive disapproval.

## How Senators Voted.

The roll call follows: Republicans—Brookhart, Couzens, Dale, Edge, Elkins, Frazier, Gooding, Howell, Johnson, California; Jones, Washington; Ladd, La Follette, McLean, McNary, Means, Moses, Norris, Reed, Pennsylvania; Shortridge, Stanford and Wadsworth—11.

Democrats—Ashurst, Bayard, Edwards, Caraway, Copeland, Dill, Edwards, Ferris, Fletcher, George, Gerry, Glass, Harris, Harrison, Bellin, Jones of New Mexico, Kendrick, McKellar, Mayfield, Neely, Overman, Pittman, Randall, Robinson, Shepard, Simmons, Smith, Swanson, Tamm, Tamm, Underwood, Walsh of Massachusetts and Walsh of Montana—33. Farm-labor—Shipstead—1. Total, 55. Against overriding the veto: Republicans—Bull, Borah, Burton, Butler, Cameron, Capper, Cummins, Curtis, Ernst, Fernald, Fess, Greene, Hale, Harrell, Keyes, McCormick, McKelvey, Metcalf, Norbeck, Oddie, Pepper, Phillips, Sargent, Sterling, Warren, Watson, Weaver and Willis—21. Democrats—Dial, L. Total, 21.

Reed and Spencer in Pairs. Pairs were announced as follows: Reardon, Indiana, and Cramer, Maryland, Democrats, for with Spencer, Republican, Missouri, against; Johnson, Farmer-Labor, Minnesota, and Wheeler, Montana, for, with King, Democrat, Utah, against; Reed, Missouri, and Stephens, Mississippi, Democrats, for with Owen, Democrat, Oklahoma, against.

Senators Lenroot, Republican, Wisconsin, and Shields, Democrat, Tennessee, were absent and unpaired. There is one vacancy, the seat formerly held by the late Senator Brandegee of Connecticut. With the veto sustained, salary increases now are dependent upon the enactment of the pending administration measure to advance pay and postal rates simultaneously. Many Senators predict that this measure will find of passage at this session.

## Shortridge Against Veto.

The slim margin by which the administration forces hoped to sustain the veto was reduced by the vote of Senator Shortridge (Rep.) of California, who previously had voted to send the measure back to the committee, announced he would vote to override the presidential disapproval. California Sen. Shortridge had been voted to send the measure back to the committee, announced he would vote to override the presidential disapproval. California Sen. Shortridge had been voted to send the measure back to the committee, announced he would vote to override the presidential disapproval.

During the debate the vigorous denial was by Chairman Sterling of the Postoffice Committee, that the new postal rate increase had been put forward with the knowledge that it could not be enacted.

Promises to Press Rate Bill. "It was prepared," he said, "with the honest intention of making it. I am a rare at the lack of courage which leads Senators to say that it would be impossible to pass it at this session. I promise, if the veto is sustained, to work unrelentingly to write this bill on the statute book."

The President's veto was assailed from the Republican ranks, when Senator Dale of Vermont declared the bill and vetoed his action was not to be considered disloyal to the chief executive.

First defense of the veto came from the Democratic ranks, Senator Dale of South Carolina urging that the bill be defeated for business reasons. Senator Shipstead, Farmer-Labor, Minnesota, said the President "has gone as ill-advised on this as he

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"WHEN THE BELL  
AT THE CROSSING  
RINGS DING-DONG"

Motorists Skid to Stop, Wait and Wait—but Signal Has Kept Up Din for 19 Days.

Clayton residents are convinced that the old fable about the boy and the wolf was no more meaningful than the very modern tale of the Rock Island crossing bell and its false warning, on Forsythe boulevard.

Workers and residents of the vicinity declare that the bell has been ringing at the crossing since the morning of Dec. 18—19 days ago—that put all sorts of wired equipment out of order. "Bring-a-ling-a-ling," the falsely faithful gong keeps sounding. The single track curves about a cut on one side and obstructions on the other. Unintended motorists approach, hear the bell and grind on their brakes. They stop, look, listen, wait indefinitely, mutter and speed on. Those that do know about the trouble have to be cautious, too, for after all a train might be coming. Sometimes several automobiles have stopped so quickly that accidents were averted narrowly. It is said the ringing can be heard as far away as the Rock Island station, half a mile west, and Clayton High School pupils are in danger of leaving classes early, mistaking bells.

"I'd like to take an ax to the darn thing; it's driving us crazy," said the manager of a Polar Wave ice branch at the intersection. "If the bell bothered me I'd cut the wires," said a Rock Island official who explained a short circuit was the probable trouble, but doubted that the bell had been ringing without some cessation, because repairmen were sent to fix it twice.

"KING" OF BOOTLEGGERS  
FOUND SLAIN IN FIELD

Police Believe Business Rival Successfully Disputed Claim to Title.

The Associated Press. SANTA BARBARA, Cal., Jan. 6.—The body of Geo. Turner, who for two years had openly boasted of his title, "king of bootleggers" in Santa Barbara County, was found through the heart last night in a field south of Summerland. The Sheriff said he says a rival successfully disputed his claim. Irving Denton of Santa Barbara was arrested as a suspect.

Turner was arrested July 17 at the head of an elaborate liquor conveyance. The supplies laid out after officers had watched the conveyance land and load a shipment from a liquor runner on the Hope Ranch head here, and 300 cases of bottled heads, 10 automobiles and seven prisoners were seized. Turner counted off \$4000 in bills, the total of fines of the party, and tossed them flippantly to the Judge and then sped away.

Turner had been arrested a year previously, pleaded guilty and paid a fine for illegal possession of liquor.

## CHICHEN-ITZA WORK TO GO ON

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 6.—The work of uncovering the ruins of the ancient Mayan capital of Chichen-Itza in Yucatan will be resumed Feb. 10 and will require at least ten years for completion, Dr. Sylvanus G. Morley, head of the Carnegie Institution's Archaeological mission, told President Calles yesterday.

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FAIR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW;  
LITTLE TEMPERATURE CHANGETHE TEMPERATURES.  
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Official Forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature; lowest about 28.

Missouri: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; somewhat colder Wednesday in northern portion.

Illinois: Fair tonight and Wednesday, except a possible light drizzle in the northeast portion; warmer tonight.

Sun rises at 7:21; sets at 4:54. Stage of the Mississippi River at St. Louis: 12.5 feet at 7 a. m., a fall of 0.1.

Winter Sun in Poland Warm.

WARSAW, Jan. 6.—Poland is experiencing the warmest winter recorded in a century. The thermometer at the Cracow observatory yesterday registered 60 degrees Fahrenheit.

AGGIE MEYERS, 20  
YEARS IN PRISON,  
IS NEAR FREEDOM

Gov. Hyde Is Expected to Parole Kansas City Woman Sentenced for Murder of Husband.

WOMEN URGE  
EXECUTIVE TO ACT

Prisoner Said to Have Served Longer Than Any Other of Sex Ever in Prison in Country.

By the Jefferson City Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 6.—Gov. Hyde is going over a list of 35 recommendations of the State Parole Board for parole of convicts in the penitentiary, to lift the list down to the 10 or 12 he plans to parole before the close of his administration on Jan. 12. He said today that the paroles would not be announced until the latter part of the week.

Among those said to be slated for favorable action by the Governor is Mrs. Agnes H. (Aggie) Meyers, 42 years old, of Kansas City, who has been imprisoned for 20 years and seven months for the murder of her husband. She is the oldest woman prisoner in the penitentiary in point of time served and is said by prison officials to have served a longer term than any other woman confined in a prison in this country.

A recommendation of the Parole Board for the parole of Mrs. Meyers has been pending before Gov. Hyde for several months. A delegation of women, including the wives of several prison officials, called on Gov. Hyde yesterday to urge that she be released.

She was convicted of implication in the killing of her husband, Clarence Meyers, in Kansas City, on May 11, 1904. An alleged accomplice, Frank Hottman, confessed and implicated Mrs. Meyers. Both were sentenced to be hanged but the sentences were commuted to life imprisonment. Hottman died in prison about two years ago.

Another convict said to be on Gov. Hyde's list for issuance of a parole is Huse Plaujanin of St. Louis, who has served two years and two months of a five-year sentence for robbery. Another convict, Louis Deeken, who pleaded guilty to the robbery, has made an affidavit that Plaujanin had no connection with the robbery and was innocent of the charge.

DEADLOCK IN NEGOTIATIONS  
FOR FRANCO-GERMAN PACT

Berlin Delegates to Commercial Treaty Conference Have Made Settlements Impossible.

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Jan. 6.—Negotiations between the French and Germans for a commercial treaty have reached a deadlock.

At the present moment both sides are avoiding any action or declaration that might be interpreted as a formal rupture but no secret is made in French circles that since the German delegates returned from their holiday trip to Germany they have made further negotiations impossible.

The modus vivendi proposed by the French as a final resort to replace the provisions of the old commercial agreement, which will expire Jan. 10, has not been accepted by the Germans and the French delegates are pessimistic as to the outcome.

EGYPTIANS DENY CARTER'S  
CLAIM TO KING TUT'S TOMB

Negotiations for Further Exploration Deadlocked; Government May Take Matter to Court

Copyright, 1925, by the Press and Pulitzer Publications. LONDON, Jan. 6.—A deadlock has been reached in the negotiations which it was hoped would lead to resumption of work in excavating King Tutankhamen's tomb. Howard Carter, discoverer of the tomb in the Valley of Kings, claims half the contents for the estate of the late Earl of Carnarvon, who financed his explorations.

The executors of the Carnarvon estate abandoned this claim last year and the Egyptian government refused to consider it from Carter. If he persists the government expects to take the matter to the courts where it anticipates no difficulty in winning. When asked if work would be resumed in the near future, Carter replied: "I am afraid the near future is rather far distant."

Man, Once Dumb, Now  
Speaks by Means of  
An Artificial Larynx

Physicians at Vanderbilt Clinic in New York See Hope for 600 Persons Now Without Vocal Organs.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Medical students and physicians in the Vanderbilt clinic heard a most perfect speech from the lips of a man whose larynx had been removed and who for years had been unable to utter a sound.

The device which restored the lost faculty, one of about 40 in use, is a simple but delicate mechanism constructed on the principle of the whistle in a toy balloon. It is the invention of Dr. John E. McKenty of this city and Dr. Harvey Fletcher and Clarence E. Lane of the joint laboratories of the Western Electric Co. and the American Telephone and Telegraph Co.

A patient was brought in yesterday whose larynx had been removed in a cancer operation. His efforts to speak brought no sound except a sighing. An intake pad, connected with a small rubber tube, was placed over the aperture in his throat. He placed the tube in his mouth and began a conversation.

WILL SIGNATURE NOT  
GENUINE, SUIT CHARGES

Sister of Late Dr. John A. Calneane Seeks to Set Aside Document.

The will of the late Dr. John A. Calneane, disposing of a large part of his \$132,294 estate, was not signed by him, it is charged in a suit to contest the will, filed in the Circuit Court today by his sister, Miss Mary F. Calneane. Under the provisions of the instrument, she herself was made a beneficiary to the extent of \$33,000 in Liberty bonds. What purported to be his signature was not genuine, it is alleged.

Dr. Calneane, who had offices in the Metropolitan Building and lived at 525 Maple avenue, died May 12. He left \$8000 to St. Anthony's Hospital, \$3000 to the Little Sisters of the Poor, \$5000 to Emily Giefer, an employee, \$33,000 to his sister and the residue to his widow. Included in the inventory was \$121,000 worth of bonds.

In the suit Miss Calneane charges that her brother was under the influence of his wife when he made his will, April 13 last, and by reason of his illness was incapable of making a legal testament. He was delirious, of unsound mind and not of disposing memory when he signed the document, the sister charges. She asks that the will be set aside. In this action were taken the widow, Mrs. Calneane, and the sister and any other collateral heirs there might be would get the other half. Miss Calneane names all the beneficiaries as defendants in her suit, including the Little Sisters of the Poor and the Franciscan Sisters who operate St. Anthony's Hospital.

In his will Dr. Calneane mentioned \$10,000 which was in his safe deposit box, directing that they be given to his widow as they were her personal property. No specific mention of these funds was made in French circles that since the German delegates returned from their holiday trip to Germany they have made further negotiations impossible.

50,000 PERSONS CLEARED  
BY FRENCH AMNESTY BILL

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Jan. 6.—The court records in the cases of 50,000 persons cleared by the amnesty bill voted in Parliament last week are promulgated in the Journal official today.

The foremost of the beneficiaries is former Premier Caillaux. The list includes deserters, strikers and persons charged with minor offenses, not including speculators. Among those released by the passage of the measure are state prosecutors, who now can shave 50,000 dockets.

TRAINED SEA LION LIFESAVER  
At Home in Rough Water, Takes "Patients" by Neck.

Correspondence of the Associated Press. HAMBURG, Dec. 13.—The sun-tanned life saver at summer resorts may be put out of business by the trained sea lion, according to predictions made by Capt. James Winston, a local animal trainer. Capt. Winston contends that he has a seal which could save half a dozen persons in rough water while the ordinary human life-saver was wrestling with a single individual. The sea lion trained to save lives has been taught to grab men by the back of the neck in the water and swim with them to safety without injury from his jaws.

SAYS A COCKTAIL  
WAITED AT EVERY  
TURN IN CAPITAL

Congressman's Wife, in Divorce Trial, Tells of Drinking Parties of Legislators and Others.

HEARING ADJOURNED  
UNTIL MARCH 10

Mrs. Frank D. Scott's Counsel May Offer Further Depositions When Trial Is Resumed Then.

ALPENA, Mich., Jan. 6.—After a steady crescendo of charges and denials in the Scott divorce trial, Mrs. Edna James Scott continued examination until adjournment today at the hands of the attorneys for her husband, Frank D. Scott, Congressman from the Eleventh Michigan District since 1914.

The trial was adjourned at 2:30 p. m. by Judge Frank Emerick until March 10, when further depositions may be presented by the defendant.

Ward Peck, Mrs. Scott's attorney, asked for time in which to get depositions from Capt. Wilbur Summer, army officer at Fort Snelling, Minn., who was with Mrs. Harvey Burwell, whose husband, Maj. Harvey Burwell, has been mentioned in the testimony; Dr. Frederick Holden, New York City; Mrs. Clifford Ireland, wife of the Illinois Congressman, and William E. Leahy, an attorney at Washington.

Both principals in the action expressed relief that the days in the courtroom are over for the present. Mrs. Scott will take a short trip for his health before resuming work at Washington.

"Hell to Be a Statesman." "All I have to say is that I know the meaning of the words. It's hell to be a statesman," he said. Mrs. Scott went a little and talked to her attorney. Eggnog parties at the homes of members of Congress and Army officers were popular diversions around Christmas time, Mrs. Scott testified when she resumed the stand again today. "We went to the hotel where the party was held," she said, "and I went with my Army friends."

Referring again to drinking in Washington, Mrs. Scott said: "In Washington, every time you turn around it is a cocktail. We served them to everybody, even to the waiters at the hotel where we were. I brought the waiters up to our rooms and gave them drinks. Mr. Scott and I did not drink a lot. We kept liquor for our friends."

Mrs. Scott denied that she ever gave a drink in her apartment. Harry Wyckoff, the clerk of the hotel where they made their home, announced that Mrs. Scott had received two threatening letters since the case began. Both letters were signed "Oscar." Mrs. Scott not to mention the name of a certain Congressman in connection with Shipping Board interests.

Exhausted from the grilling she received yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Scott still was able to muster a smile as she stepped from the witness stand at the end of the day's hearing.

LONDON-BERLIN PASSENGER  
PLANE SETS NEW RECORD

Flies Between Capitals, With Stops at Hanover and Amsterdam, in Six Hours.

By the Associated Press. BERLIN, Jan. 6.—The London-Berlin air service established a new record today when a plane, carrying a full complement of passengers, mail and baggage, covered the 600-odd miles between the British and German capitals in an actual flying time of four hours and 20 minutes.

Including stops at Amsterdam and Hanover, the plane's time was six hours. Ordinarily, the actual flying time is seven hours, or eight hours 30 minutes with the two stops.

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Don't deprive yourself of the pleasure of an automobile when it is so reasonably through.

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St. Louis' One Big Automobile Directory

The Perfect Market-Place

TOLD CONGRESSMAN  
STORIES ABOUT WIFE

MISS JANE L. KENNEDY.

OKLAHOMA BAD MAN  
TAKEN HERE AS ROBBER

Former Convict Beaten and Caught by Postal Chauffeurs After Holding Up Woman.

A tall, rawboned Oklahoma bad man, who has served time for bank robbery and was held pending investigation of the murder of a policeman, is at Central District holdover today, his head awash in bandages which cover the marks of a severe beating administered by a dozen postoffice chauffeurs and other citizens after a chase half way around the Main Post-office at noon today.

He describes himself as William Welch, 30 years old, and it is charged that he strong-armed a little woman barely more than half his size and snatched her purse, and a bankbook containing \$31.

Mrs. Rose Smith, 24, of 618 North Garrison avenue, was climbing the Postoffice steps at Eighth and Walnut streets, she said. When Welch seized her from behind and tore the purse and bankbook from her hand. The six-foot cowboy, with his high laced boots, his prairie hat and his khaki garments, was fleeing south, with Mrs. Smith screaming behind him, when H. L. Fortner, 4200 Shaw avenue, in an automobile, took up the chase.

Fortner forced the fugitive to turn east in Clark avenue, and at Seventeenth street caused him to seek refuge in a basement arway. Fortner shouted a warning to a group of chauffeurs, and a few minutes later, when two policemen arrived, the cowboy was at the bottom of a mass of very active men. He was extricated and taken to the city hospital, suffering with severe lacerations and bruises of the head, face and neck. The purse and bankbook were recovered in the struggle. Welch was restored to Mrs. Smith.

In the holdover, Welch told a Post-Dispatch reporter he had served a five-year term in the Oklahoma prison, convicted of bank holdup charge of which he was innocent, and had been held for a month last summer pending investigation of the murder of an Oklahoma City policeman. He came to St. Louis New Year day to visit relatives. He wanted to go home, but was "broke," and beyed an impulse when he saw greenbacks protruding from Mrs. Smith's bankbook.

32 INDIVIDUALS SUED ON  
CLAIM AGAINST DEMOCRATS

Thirty-two men who were members of the Democratic State Committee of 1919-20 were sued individually today by the Con P. Curran Printing Co. for work done by the company for the committee in the 17 months before the end of the 1920 campaign. The printing company's claim is \$16,338.69 plus interest from Oct. 29, 1920, at 6 per cent a year.

Those named as defendants are Sam Lazarus, John P. Byrne, Frank J. O'Neill, Michael Kinney John E. Cloney, Daniel G. Taylor, V. G. Burnett, Thomas J. Dagg, E. C. Orr, Richard Correll, F. T. Crowley, Ed F. Cornwell, Henry L. Dillingham, W. G. Littell, T. J. Prendergast, J. B. Shannon, Ben M. Neale, Adolph Musser, Ben F. Morgan, Dr. L. M. Gray, A. T. Dumm, B. J. Creech, W. R. Taylor, C. T. Jarvis, O. B. Cook, A. L. Harry, Charles Ferguson, D. S. Mayhew, C. F. Kreuger, Frank H. Farria, Don O. Vernon and C. E. Yancey.

Exhibits attached show the different jobs the printing done for the State Committee, and include stationery, posters and cards of different sorts. Leahy, Saunders and Walther represent the printers.

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BRITAIN HAS  
PLAN FOR A  
NEW DEBT  
CONFERENCE

Churchill to Propose Inter-allied Parley, With U. S. Participating, for Next March.

FINANCE MINISTERS  
GATHER IN PARIS

American Claims for Share of Dawes Plan Funds Backed by France and Belgium.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, Jan. 6.—Plans for an inter-allied debt conference at Brussels next March, to which the United States probably would be invited to send a delegate, are declared to have been formulated by Winston Churchill, British Chancellor of the Exchequer, who is due to arrive here this evening at the head of the British delegation to the conference of allied finance ministers which opens tomorrow.

Churchill, it was said, will present his proposal to the allies for a conference during private conversations which he will hold with other heads of delegations. He already has an appointment with M. Clementel, French Minister of Finance, tomorrow morning to discuss it. It is understood, the general subject of debts. It is believed that the British Chancellor will undoubtedly go over plans for the proposed conference at that time.

Thunells and Herriot Confer. While the official opening of the conference is set for tomorrow, Premier Thunells of Belgium had a conversation with Premier Herriot this afternoon, at which the question of inter-allied debts is said to have been discussed.

Notwithstanding the American attitude, it is believed in competent circles that the conference, notably the British, are determined to push the debt problem toward a definite future work toward a definite solution.

The agenda includes consideration of the standing of the allies in respect to cash or goods already received from Germany; preparation of an estimate of the sums available for distribution from the Dawes plan proceeds as well as the Ruhr receipts; and distribution of Germany's payments among the allies and associated powers.

The great rock in the path of the conference is America's insistence upon payment of her occupational army costs and damage claims against Germany out of the Dawes plan proceeds, a claim which Great Britain contests. Both sides are declaring they will not yield but if the French and Belgians side with the Americans, observers think it may be difficult for the British to maintain their point.

## May Lump U. S. Claim

A solution that finds most favor would be to fix a lump sum for the American claims and to arrange for payment over a long period of years so as to make as slight a drain on the reparations pool as possible.

Most of the delegates and experts making up the 40 persons of which the conference will consist are to arrive today.

JUDGE OLSON WANTS BODY  
OF HIS BROTHER EXHUMED

Makes Request for Delay of McClintock Inquest Until Explanation Is Made.

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Chief Justice Harry Olson of the Municipal Court of Chicago today, at the Coroner's inquest into the death of William McClintock, the "millionaire orphan," asked Coroner Oscar Wolf to exhume the body of his brother, Dr. Oscar Olson, who died a few years ago.

Judge Olson then asked that the inquest be continued two or three months to allow time for State's Attorney to continue his investigation and to permit the exhumation of the body of his brother. Judge Olson, the chief instigator of the investigation of the death, on Dec. 4, of young McClintock, who left his fortune by will to William D. Shepherd, foster-father of the boy, and to permit the exhumation of the body of his brother. Judge Olson, the chief instigator of the investigation of the death, on Dec. 4, of young McClintock, who left his fortune by will to William D. Shepherd, foster-father of the boy, and to permit the exhumation of the body of his brother. Judge Olson, the chief instigator of the investigation of the death, on Dec. 4, of young McClintock, who left his fortune by will to William D. Shepherd, foster-father of the boy, and to permit the exhumation of the body of his brother.







## HITCH IN HYDE'S PLANS THREATENS RIFT WITH BAKER

Atkeson Refuses to Quit to Let Thompson Form Job Organization to Boost Hyde for Senate.

## BAKER ACTS WITHOUT PARTY HEADS' ADVICE

Republican Worries Aggravated by Fact Democrats Hold Power of Confirmation on Appointments.

By CURTIS A. BETTS.

A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 6.—A hitch in the scheme of the political organization of Gov. Hyde to continue in control of State political affairs, looking to the campaign for the nomination for the United States Senate in 1926, threatens to cause a break between the Governor and Governor-elect Baker.

Seemingly, the growing breach between the two party leaders is due, to a considerable degree, to the fact that William O. Atkeson, State Warehouse Commissioner, to use Hyde's words, "has wrapped his whippers around a pole and is holding on."

Translated, this means that Atkeson, a former Congressman from the Sixth District, has refused to resign his State job to make way for the appointment of B. Thompson, now the Governor's secretary.

The State Warehouse Commissioner heads an organization of more than 100 jobholders in various parts of the State and, under his guidance, a powerful asset in the furtherance of political ambitions.

Requested Resignations. As has been noted in the Post-Dispatch, the Governor, several weeks ago, requested the resignations of a number of his appointees, announcing at the time that he was acting at the request of Governor-elect Baker and to give Baker an opportunity to start in his administration with his own selections in important positions.

Under this scheme Hyde so far has received the resignations of the members of the Board of Police Commissioners of St. Louis, Kansas City and St. Joseph and of Frank Middleton, State Labor Commissioner. In addition he has received the resignation of J. Kelly, a former member of the State Prison Board, a Democrat, which he did not request. Atkeson is the only Hyde appointee who has refused to resign.

Atkeson has been State Capital gossamer for several weeks that Thompson was to succeed Atkeson, and that with the employees of the department as a nucleus, there was to be formed a Hyde political organization which would overshadow any that Baker might have in mind and would make certain a strong field force for the campaign the Governor is expected to make for the senatorial nomination in 1926.

That Atkeson has indicated an intention of holding on until the expiration of the term for which he was appointed by Hyde, which will be in 1927, has caused Hyde supporters much concern, and during the past few days there have been increasing evidences of a growing coolness between Hyde and Baker.

Dissatisfaction Indicated. While the Governor and William F. Phares, chairman of the Republican State committee, protest there is nothing in the nature of a break in their relations with Baker, they have in fact made no effort to conceal their dissatisfaction with the trend of affairs at the Capitol.

Baker, in his conferences with prospective appointees, most of whom were "original Baker men" in the primary, has not taken the Governor, nor the State Chairman, nor National Committee Chairman into his confidence. He has consulted them about appointments, but has not invited them to call on him. Phares last night, taken to the Southern Illinois Penitentiary at Chester (Menard) yesterday, to serve a life term. They were convicted Dec. 24, at Mount Vernon.

Senate Is Democratic. The situation between the Governor and the Governor-elect is further complicated by the fact that the State Senate, which is overwhelmingly Democratic, will have a hand in the confirmation of the law, according to an opinion given the Governor by Attorney-General Barrett, the Governor will be required to send to the Senate on the first day it is organized a list of all appointments he has made since the Legislature adjourned nearly two years ago.

Chas. before the Senate these appointments are beyond the control of the Governor. Baker, when he takes office, may request the Senate to return the Hyde appointments to him, but the Senate can return some and hold and confirm or reject the others. If it so desires, it can play horse with the Governor, who can be retarded.

## Pa's Shoes May Give Him Comfort, but Prices Won't

Advance in Costs Indicated at Opening of Footwear Pageant—Simplicity and Richness to Characterize Milady's Boots.

St. Louis shoe manufacturers yesterday fixed feminine footwear fashions for 1925, and set a pace for Pa's pocketbook.

They decreed—and 1250 visiting shoe dealers from the West, Midwest and South who are registered guests at the St. Louis Pageant at the Statler Hotel accepted the decree—that simplicity and richness were to characterize Milady's footwear for the coming season.

Trim design and the quality of the fabric are to mark the change from the riot of ornamental fol-de-rol which was last season's distinguishing mark.

Incidentally, so the manufacturers said, shoes are going to cost more the next six months—they said—depends upon the leather market. For increased prices on leather are blamed for the increase in the retail price of shoes which is predicted.

Just now, that increase isn't much. Officials of the International Shoe Co. said that upon their output it would average about 7 or 8 cents a pair. On some shoes there is none at all. On others it might be 10 or 12 cents.

A leading independent maker told the Post-Dispatch his shoes were costing 25 cents more a pair now than formerly. That accounts for the dent forecast in Pa's pocketbook.

Where Pa Gets Comfort.

Meantime Pa can content himself, if he will, that the fact that the designers haven't forgotten him. There are some very nifty, nobby—or whatever the advertising writers call them—shoes for him. No longer must he enslave his tired digits in narrow, rounded toes.

The Prince of Wales trousers, wide and flaring, have brought wide and flaring shoes in their wake. Broad rounded toes, French brogue effects, extension soles and heavy ornamentation by stitch, cord stitch or perforation—these mark the new men's wear.

Women's shoes this season are designed for harmony with the costume ensemble Milady will wear.

Miss Lucy Park, editor of an Eastern fashion magazine, told the audience that overfloated the Statler ballroom at the opening session of the pageant yesterday afternoon.

"And harmony," a prominent style designer told the Post-Dispatch, "doesn't mean harmony of color alone, but harmony in purpose. The shoe for sport, or street, or afternoon, or evening wear, should in its lines and materials and colorings exactly fit its purpose."

26 Models Promenade. Twenty-six pretty models, costumed with quite as much care above trim ankles as below, paraded on a concave promenade as visible evidence to sample room and were roundly applauded as they promaded.

ed indefinitely in getting his own supporters in office. And, unless those appointed by Hyde willingly step out, the Senate can confirm in office men who are not at all satisfactory to Baker.

MRS. SWEETIN HAS BREAKFAST HERE ON HER WAY TO PRISON

Woman Given 35 Years for Poisoning Her Husband in Dejected Mood at Union Station.

Mrs. Elsie Sweetin, on her way to the Illinois prison at Joliet (Stateville) to begin her 35-year term of imprisonment for the murder of her husband, Wilford Sweetin, took breakfast in Union Station this morning.

Dressed in black, the convicted woman walked between her two custodians, the Sheriff from Mount Vernon, Ill., and a matron, as she left the L. & N. train here at 8:28. As the word spread that she was in the station a curious group gathered at the entrance of the lunchroom, where she reappeared in time to take the Chicago & Alton train at 8:55.

Lawrence M. Hight, former minister, convicted with Mrs. Sweetin of the poisoning of Sweetin, was taken to the Southern Illinois Penitentiary at Chester (Menard) yesterday, to serve a life term. They were convicted Dec. 24, at Mount Vernon.

12-YEAR-OLD EVANGELIST CONDUCTING MEETINGS HERE

Uldine Utley of Fresno, Cal. Has Record of 4000 Converts in One Year.

Uldine Utley, 12-year-old girl evangelist of Fresno, Cal., opened a series of gospel meetings yesterday afternoon at the First Regiment Armory, Grand boulevard and Market street.

She is accompanied by her father, mother, younger sister and a secretary-governess who takes care of her voluminous mail.

The child began preaching less than one year ago after her family had attended a revival meeting near their home. Her records show that she has converted 4000 persons since she began her work.

## HOLDUP MAN SHOT WHEN HE FLEES AFTER ARREST

Probationary Patrolman Wounds and Catches One of Three Men, Sergeant Takes Another.

Less than two hours after three robbers had held up Fred E. Winsor, secretary of the Advertising Club, from whom they took a \$250 ring, a watch, \$3 and his Ford sedan, one of the men was shot and seriously wounded by Probationary Patrolman Clarence Johnson of the Angelica Street District at 7:20 p. m. last night, and another was captured in a dash for liberty following their arrest.

The third man, who escaped, is being sought and his early arrest is expected, as he is known to the police.

The wounded man is William Coyne, 22 years old, a mechanic, of 4218 West Margaretta avenue, a police charge. He is at the city hospital with two bullet wounds in the right arm. The other prisoner is Dennis Gearing, 23, a tempter of 4117 St. Louis avenue, who also has a long string of arrests.

Details of the Holdup. The holdup occurred at 5:45 p. m. Winsor, who is 27 years old and resides at 2707 North Union boulevard, had just taken Miss Minerva Schergen to her home at 4206A Clarence avenue and had stopped in front of the house when the three robbers surrounded his machine.

Mr. Schergen was ordered to "beat it" and the men then got in the car with Winsor, forcing him to drive to Cora and Labadie avenues, where they searched him and then put him out, driving away in the sedan.

A little more than an hour later Sgt. Charles Ostrander and Johnson set out from the Angelica Street District to scout the district in a police machine. They had not traveled far until the "spotter" license number of the car Winsor had just reported stolen. The machine, occupied by three men, was stopped in front of the Angelica Garage, at Twenty-first and Angelica streets.

With Johnson at the wheel and Ostrander carrying a drawn revolver, they drove up beside the car and called to the men to surrender. As they did so one robber dropped a watch, later found to be Winsor's, and all put up their hands. The officers lined them up in front of the place, with Patrolman Johnson guarding them, while Sgt. Ostrander went inside to telephone headquarters.

Made Dash for Liberty. The Sergeant, however, had trouble in getting a connection, and during the delay the prisoners made a concerted dash for liberty, leaping out of the car. Patrolman Johnson and Ostrander, hearing the commotion, rushed out and pursued another.

Johnson's man fled through an alley from Twenty-first street to Florissant avenue and then to Bremen avenue, with the officer close behind, shooting as he ran. At Florissant and Bremen the fugitive, with two bullets through his right arm, had had enough. He stopped and surrendered. About the same time Sgt. Ostrander, who had his man in front of 4023 Florissant. The third fled in a different direction and escaped.

Both Coyne and Gearing denied participation in the robbery, but were positively identified by Winsor as two of the holdup men. Police records show Coyne has been arrested eight times on various charges and has served one Workhouse term for larceny. Gearing has been arrested 27 times and has served two Workhouse terms for the same offense.

DUPONT HERE FOR TWO WEEKS

Capitalist Declines to Discuss Purpose of Visit.

Alfred I. Dupont, Wilmington (Del.) capitalist and head of the Dupont de Nemours Powder Co., who has been in Hotel Jefferson for more than two weeks, today denied reports that his presence here was indicative of a local motor car manufacturing venture. He declined to discuss the purpose of his visit here.

ROB MAN OF AUTO AND THEN RETURN IT IN TWO HOURS

A holdup in which two robbers took his automobile and returned it two hours later undamaged was reported to the St. Louis county authorities by E. Scharf of 2143 Louisiana avenue last night.

At 8:30, Scharf said, he was putting the car away for the night in a garage in the rear of his home when two men, armed with a shotgun and an automatic, forced him to get out, and then drove away in the machine.

He reported the robbery and then at 10:30 the Sheriff's office received another call saying he had just returned home when he heard a noise at the garage and, upon investigating, found his car back where it belonged and the robbers had even taken the time and trouble to close the doors.

Canadian Church Union Favors I. TORONTO, Ont., Jan. 6.—Total to date in the voting of the Presbyterian church on the question of uniting with the Congregationalists and the Methodists in the United Church of Canada, show a decisive majority in favor of the union. Of the churches which have so far turned in their votes, 154 were for union while only 11 were opposed.

## BOY, 14, EFFECTS CAPTURE OF PAIR POLICEMAN LOST

Youths in Stolen Auto Outdistanced Pursuing Officer After Machine Was Wrecked in Chase.

Two youths, who leaped from a stolen Ford coupe, in which they had been pursued several miles by a University City motor cycle policeman, yesterday afternoon, made good their escape as the automobile crashed against a telephone pole, a half-block distant, and as the policeman fired several futile shots at them.

But, as they ran across a vacant lot, near the scene of the crash at Delmar boulevard and Eastgate avenue, they were minutely observed by a 14-year-old boy, who brought about their arrest two hours later, when they chanced to pass his University City home.

Admit Taking Auto. The youths described themselves to the University City police as Edward P. McKenzie, 16, of 7744 Forsyth avenue, Clayton, and Leonard Griffin, 19, of 9 Meramec avenue, Clayton, and admitted they took the automobile—the property of Raymond C. Muecher, 4891 San Francisco avenue—from in front of the University Club for a spin.

They drove west on Olive Street road, they related, to Chesterfield, Mo., 22 miles distant, where one of the boys borrowed a shotgun from an uncle living there, to "go hunting."

Returning eastward, their 40-mile clip attracted the attention of Motor Cycle Policeman Bert Belleville, who was passing and who gave chase.

The chase proceeded eastward on Olive Street road to about the intersection of the Ferguson road, when one of the youths signaled a wave of surrender, and drew up at the side of the road. But, as the policeman came along, dismounted, the driver put on power and sped away. The policeman fired a shot at them and resumed the chase.

Witnesses Fright. The finish of the race, in which the automobile was wrecked and the boys made their escape, was witnessed by Richard Sutter, 14, of 821 Barton avenue. The boy returned home and was sitting at a front window, when, about two hours later, the two youths passed by. He ran out and followed them to a grocery store at 6144 Crest avenue, which they entered and made purchases.

From the store, the boy ran to the home of Chief of Police Ward of University City, at 6003 Banker avenue, a short distance away, who returned with him and arrested the youths. The youths readily confessed the theft of the automobile. "But don't worry about telling our folks, we'll just go ahead and do our time," they said.

EIGHT PERSONS OVERCOME IN HOMES BY ESCAPING GAS

Fumes Enter Two Adjoining Dwellings—Cases Similar to Several Which Occurred Last Week.

Gas, entering two adjoining dwellings at 2155 and 3157 School street, overcame eight persons yesterday. The cases were similar to several which occurred last week, in which one man died and 12 were prostrated by gas entering houses from leaks in mains, caused by the cracking of the pipes from cold.

Besides those cases, there were several deaths and prostrations last week from gas accidents of other sorts.

In the house at 3155 School street, John Golden, 55 years old, a cigar jobber, and Miss Anna Golden, 62, were found unconscious, and were taken to St. Mary's Hospital. At 3157, Mrs. Maggie Brown and her two sons, James Duckworth and John and Savana Wetherpoon, all negroes, were overcome, but have recovered. Mrs. Wetherpoon said she had noticed the odor of gas since Saturday.

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## DOMES OF ST. PAUL'S IN LONDON REGARDED AS PUBLIC MENACE

Rebuilding Will Cost \$2,375,000 and Close Cathedral for 30 Years.

By the Associated Press. LONDON, Jan. 6.—The great dome of St. Paul's Cathedral is declared by the city surveyor to be in such unsafe condition that the municipal authorities, according to the Daily Mirror, have served notice upon the official custodians of the cathedral that they officially regard the dome as "a dangerous structure."

The condition of the dome has been a source of anxiety for the cathedral officials for some years, owing to cracks in the supporting pillars, and large sums have been spent in grouting and other remedial measures.

While a recent report by the Cathedral's experts recommended further drastic repairs, the experts suggested that absolute safety probably only could be insured by removing the dome and rebuilding it. This, it was estimated, would cost at least 500,000 pounds sterling (\$2,375,000) and entail closing the Cathedral for 30 years.

Consequently, they advised leaving the dome as it is, and comprising the present hollow pillars must be replaced with solid ones before the dome is re-erected.

It is contended that the hollow pillars suffered under the conditions existing when Sir Christopher Wren built the Cathedral, but that the subsequent excavation for neighboring buildings, the construction of the present system of sewers, the vastly increased traffic passing the structure and other causes have dangerously affected its stability.

\$2335 Award for Disability. By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—A Federal District Court award of \$2335 for total disability pay for Dewitt T. Law of Montana, who entered the army a common laborer and now is a practicing attorney, was affirmed yesterday by the Supreme Court. Law pleaded his own case, declaring himself entitled to the award to cover a period during which he was unable to work.

KORETZ IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Swindler, Suffering From Diabetes, Under Special Treatment in Prison.

By the Associated Press. JOLIET, Ill., Jan. 6.—The condition of Leo Koretz, Chicago swindler, who is confined in the State Prison here, is serious, Dr. J. R. Fletcher, prison physician, said yesterday. Koretz is confined to a bed in the hospital and special treatments have been prescribed for him.

Koretz was suffering from diabetes when he was brought to the prison and his condition has become critical.

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Company Also Announces It Plans to Install Hourly Service to Cairo.

By the Associated Press. POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., Jan. 6.—The inauguration of a St. Louis-Memphis bus line service will be effective April 1, according to plans announced by the Gregory Bus Line Co. of Memphis.

The concern plans to install hourly service between St. Louis and Memphis, with about 16 buses on the road between St. Louis and Cairo and probably half that number between Birds Point, Mo., and Memphis. The buses have been ordered, it was said.

The company contemplates using the Illinois concrete roads from St. Louis to Cairo, cross the ferry to Birds Point, thence through Charleston and Sikeston, and south over the State Highway No. 9 into Arkansas. The line will run through Blytheville, Ark., to Memphis.

The 366 miles between St. Louis and Memphis would be covered in 16 hours, it was said. Thirty-four heavy Pullman-type six-seat, 21-passenger cars would comprise the initial fleet and a charge of 3 cents a mile would be made. This would make the cost of a trip from St. Louis to Memphis \$10.98, somewhat less than the railroad rates.

The new buses probably would not be transferred across the river at Birds Point and Cairo each trip, it was said, but the passengers would be required to change cars and cross the ferry to another bus waiting for them. The planned time of operation between St. Louis and Cairo is six hours.

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### ARCHBISHOP MOELLER DIES OF HEART ATTACK

Cincinnati Prelate Is Conscious  
to the End; One of Surviv-  
ing Brothers Is St. Louisan.

By the Associated Press.  
CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 6.—  
Archbishop Henry Moeller, fourth  
Bishop of Cincinnati and the third  
to attain metropolitan rank since  
the creation of the diocese ap-  
proximately 100 years ago, died  
last night at his home in Norwood  
Heights. He was 75 years old.

The Archbishop is survived by  
his brother, the Chancellor; the  
Rev. Ferdinand Moeller, S. J., St.  
Louis, and Sister Henry Marie, Cin-  
cinnati.

Although the Archbishop has  
been ailing since Christmas eve,  
when he pontificated at the Christ-  
mas mass at St. Peter's Cathedral,  
his death at this time was entirely  
unexpected. Since Christmas he  
has remained at home until yester-  
day, when he went to Del-Hill,  
O., to confer with the Sisters of  
Charity at St. Joseph's Convent.

Returning to his home in the eve-  
ning, Archbishop Moeller became  
ill after eating dinner and died a  
few hours later following a heart  
attack.

The body of Archbishop Moeller  
will lie in state before the high al-  
tar of St. Peter's Cathedral. Fun-  
eral services will be held next Tues-  
day. Burial will be in St. Joseph's  
Cemetery here.

The Right Rev. Daniel A. Buck-  
ley, recently created a protonota-  
ry apostolic, will assume charge  
of the Cincinnati diocese pending  
appointment by the Pope of a suc-  
cessor. The diocese consists of the  
states of Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky,  
Tennessee and part of Michigan.

### RETURNS CHILD TO DIVORCED WIFE AFTER FOUR YEARS

Wearing of the pursuit of St.  
Clair County officers, who had  
been seeking him, Harry Clemons,  
32 years old, has returned his  
daughter, Virginia, 11, to his di-  
vorced wife, Mrs. Irma Reuther  
Clemons, from which he took the  
child four years ago. Clemons, after  
returning his daughter secretly  
to her grandparents at Lebanon,  
Ill., disappeared. The child was  
reunited with her mother yester-  
day. Prosecution against the fa-  
ther will be dropped.

The little girl was taken from  
her mother immediately following  
a divorce decree which gave Mrs.  
Clemons custody of the child. Vir-  
ginia told her mother that during  
the four years she had been trav-  
eling most of the time with her  
father who toured the West in his  
automobile and often had no other  
shelter for the night than the car  
in which they journeyed.

Thread Firm Announces Wage Cut.

By the Associated Press.  
WILLIMANTIC, Conn., Jan. 6.—  
Announcement is made at the plant  
of the American Thread Co. here  
that the wages of its operatives  
will be reduced 10 per cent, ef-  
fective Jan. 12. Twenty-five hun-  
dred operatives will be affected.

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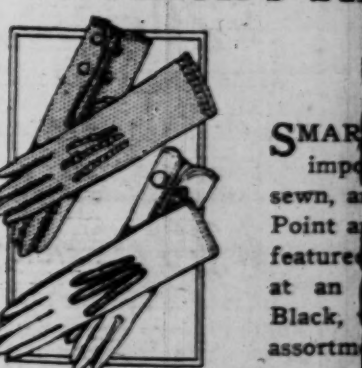
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Medium & heavy weight worsted  
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Men's wool mixed Shirts and

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See Our Other Announcement on Page 11

# STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

Player-Piano Rolls—Q. R. S. and Bluebird Ballad—now priced \$1.00. Complete stock of new popular numbers.  
(Fourth Floor.)

## January Clearing Sale

Special Purchase and Sale of 1177

### Men's Knitted Vests

Extraordinary  
Values at

\$2.94

Made of  
All-Wool Yarns

THE opportunity to buy these attractive all-wool Vests at such a low price is worthy of attention. They were advantageously purchased from a well-known New York maker and the sale price is less than the usual wholesale cost of making. They are fashioned of Warwick worsteds, and other all-wool yarns which means they will not stretch out of shape—and they are very smart looking. All sizes from 33 to 46. There are stripes, checks and plain effects in the following colors:

Powder Blue Tan Brown Green  
Gray Heather

(Fourth Floor and Thrift Avenue—Main Floor.)

### Clearing Hosiery

At \$1.37 Pair

WOMEN'S full-fashioned thread silk Hosiery, in a medium weight that is very desirable. Silk from top to toe. High spliced heels and double soles. Color and size assortments broken.

At 95c Pair

Wool ribbed Sports Hosiery of knee length, made with fancy cuff top; in camel color only. All large sizes. Suitable for men's or boys' wear.  
(Main Floor.)

### Platinum Diamond Jewelry, 1/4 Off

THIS reduction is applied to our entire stock of Platinum and Diamond Jewelry, which includes flexible bracelets, solitaire and dinner rings, brooches, bar pins, wrist watches, scarf pins and other pieces—in designs that are new and very beautiful. The buying occasion is one of exceptional interest.  
(Main Floor.)

### Women's Kid Gloves

\$1.39



SMART two-clasp Gloves of imported real kid, overseam sewn, and finished with Paris-Point and embroidered backs—featured in the Clearing Sale at an extremely low price. Black, white and an attractive assortment of colors.  
(Main Floor.)

### Clearing Notions

IMPORTED Marcel Curling Irons.....59c  
Sanitary Aprons, all-gum rubber.....25c  
Spool Silk, black and colors; 50-yard spools, 6 for 25c  
Nickel Shears, 6 and 7 inch lengths, pair.....59c  
(Main Floor.)

### Clearing Stationery

EATON, Crane & Pike Stationery, box.....49c  
Initial Stationery, odd lots, box.....19c  
Imported Ink Stands and desk pieces, reduced.  
Stationery Cabinets, 2 quires, excellent quality, box.....69c  
Writing Sets—letter opener, pencil and penholder.....49c  
French Stationery, 50 sheets and 50 envelopes.....95c  
(Main Floor.)

### Books for Children

Clearing, 25c Bundle

FOR the Clearing Sale, we have grouped Children's Books in bundles of two or three, and have marked them at an extremely low price. The assortment includes circus, painting, animal and object Books.  
(Second Floor.)

### Men's Underwear

Heavy weight rib Shirts and Drawers.....79c  
Men's heavy and medium weight Union Suits, white, gray and ecru.....\$1.79  
Medium & heavy weight worsted mixed Suits, gray, \$2.35  
Men's worsted mixed cream and gray Union Suits, \$2.95  
Men's wool mixed Shirts and Drawers; each.....\$1.39  
(Main Floor.)



### Entire Stock of Tots' Winter Coats 1/2 Off

COATS in many styles and materials, for little folks of 2 to 5 years, are offered at this uniform reduction in the January Clearing Sale. Since several months of cold weather remain, this is a most attractive buying opportunity. The styles are all of this season. Included in the group are a few matched sets of two and three pieces.

#### Buntings, \$1.25

Warm, snug Baby Buntings of white blanket cloth, finished with shell-stitched edge. Greatly reduced for the Clearing Sale.

#### Dresses, \$2.39

Navy blue serge and plaid mixtures, in straightline Frocks that are warm and attractive for Winter wear. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Greatly reduced.

#### Sweaters, \$4.00

Children's Sweaters of silk-and-wool or all-wool, in slip-over style. Shown in pretty, bright shades, in sizes up to 4 years. Marked at an extremely low price.

#### Sweaters, \$2

Wool Slipover Sweaters of soft yarn, in fancy weaves. Practical garments that should be part of every child's wardrobe. Greatly reduced because they are soiled.

#### Knitted Wear, \$1

A group of knit garments, including wool knit Capes in dark colors. Sweater Sacques, silk Hoods and Helmets; soiled from display.

#### Knitted Wear, 50c

Caps, Hoods and Sacques, of wool zephyr yarn, for little tots. Soiled, but greatly reduced in price, for the January Clearing.  
(Second Floor.)

### January Clearing Women's Dresses

Offers Attractive Models at Radically Reduced Prices — Featured in Three Groups

\$25.00

\$35.00

\$49.75

OUR Costume Salon presents an arresting variety of exquisite Gowns for street, afternoon and evening wear—at clearing reductions that offer exceptional values. Included are original Paris models as well as many delightful copies of imports—all offering smartest fabric and individual styling.

Other Groups, Too, of Higher-Priced Frocks at 1/2 to 1/3 Off.  
(Costume Salon—Third Floor.)

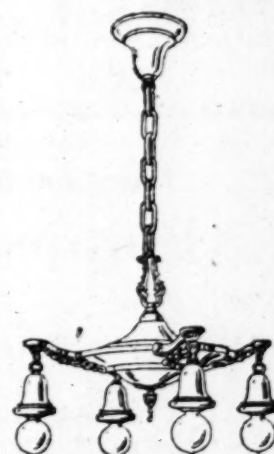
### Clearing Women's Moderate-Priced Dresses

\$10 \$15 \$20

These groups comprise clever daytime and evening Frocks of excellent quality—using flat silk, Canton crepe, charmeen, Poirer twill and other smart fabrics in many and favored styles—at most attractive reductions. Broken sizes up to 46.  
(Moderate-Priced Section—Third Floor.)



### Clearing of Sample Electric Fixtures



ABOUT fifty sample Fixtures that have become a little shopworn are offered in this clearing. There are styles suitable for the various rooms in the home. These fixtures are exceptionally attractive.

The values presented in this sale merit early inspection. Included in the group are the following:

Five-light Silver Candle Fixture.....\$11.95  
Five-light Silver Candle Fixture.....\$15.00  
Five-light Antique Gold Ball Lamp Fixture.....\$10.00  
Five-light Antique Gold Candle.....\$10.00  
Four-light Antique Gold Fixture, with shade.....\$14.50  
Four-light Brown Tone Ball Lamp Fixture.....\$17.25  
Three-light Polychrome Candle Fixture.....\$10.00  
Three-light Gray Gold Ball Lamp Fixture.....\$6.50  
Three-light Roman Gold Ball Lamp Fixture.....\$6.50  
Two-light Old Ivory Ceiling Fixture.....\$2.50  
One-light Chain Drops, with shades.....\$1.95  
(Fifth Floor.)

### Housewares

At Reductions That Command Attention

#### Roasters, \$1.00

Round or oval shape aluminum Roasters are offered at this price. All have slide handles.

#### Covered Kettles, \$1.00

Eight-quart size aluminum covered Kettles are useful in many ways. They are the panel design.

#### Canister Sets, 79c

Four-piece Canister Sets in gold mottled effect. Set includes coffee, sugar, tea and flour.



#### Double Boilers, \$1.00

Made of heavy gauge pure aluminum, these 2-quart double Boilers are panel shape.

#### Frypan, \$1.00

Large size covered Frypan and Poacher made of aluminum. Complete with 5-egg poaching cups.

#### Mop and Polish, 49c

Triangle-shaped polishing Mop with adjustable handle and one bottle of Polish at this price.



#### Teakettles, \$1.00

Five-quart seamless style aluminum Teakettles are good values. They are in panel shape.

#### Stretchers, \$1.69

Curtain Stretchers; full-size adjustable wood frame extends to 6x12 ft. Equipped with stationary non-rustable pins.

#### Vacuum Washers, 39c

Can be used in any washtub or boiler and by their use most of the hard rubbing can be eliminated.

#### Wash Baskets, \$1.19

These well-made all-willow Wash Baskets are oval in shape and medium size. They have slide handles.

#### 3-Piece Sets, \$1.00

Aluminum double-lipped style, 3-piece Sets, in 1 1/2, 2 and 3 quart sizes.

#### Kitchen Sets, 39c

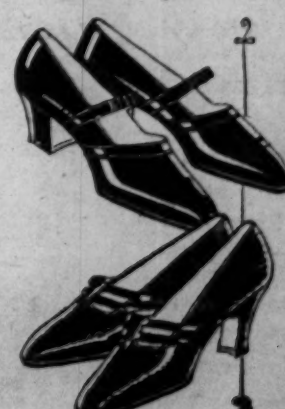
Wooden Kitchen Sets consisting of meat mallet, four assorted size spoons and two batter mixers.  
(Fifth Floor.)

### Women's Footwear

Two Clearing Groups at

\$5.95 and \$7.45

A BUYING opportunity of exceptional interest is presented in the Clearing Sale of Women's Footwear. The two specially-priced groups include this season's styles, in discontinued and incomplete lines of Footwear. Tan calf, black satin, patent leather, and silver brocade are the materials—and there is a wide variety of patterns.  
(Main Floor.)



## Semi-Annual Sale of Manhattan Shirts

Our Entire Stock Is Featured at  
1/3 Off

BEGINNING Wednesday morning we will offer unrestricted choice of our stock of Manhattan Shirts at a discount of 33 1/3 per cent. Included are collar-attached, neckband, collar-to-match styles. There are stripes, checks, solid colors and plenty of plain whites. Dress and Tuxedo Shirts are included. Among the many fabrics are the following:

English Broadcloth

Silk Mixtures

Corded Madras

Woven Madras

Pure Silks

(Men's Furnishing Dept.—Main Floor.)



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Interest begins on date of deposit.  
Interest paid on January 1st and July 1st.  
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## MAN FORCED TO DRIVE TO PARK AND ROBBED

Charles P. Orchard Tells of  
Pair Following Him Into  
Auto in Front of Office.

Two strange men stepped in with Charles P. Orchard, vice president of the Orchard Paper Co., as he got in his automobile in front of his office, 1113 South Twelfth street, at 8:30 p. m. yesterday. When he demanded an explanation the men drew revolvers and one said, "We want those Liberty bonds."

Orchard replied that he had none, but was made to drive to Lafayette Park, where he was searched. The men took from him a diamond ring valued at \$1200, \$10 in cash and a stickpin. He protested that the pin was a gift from his mother, saying, "That's no good to you; haven't you got mothers?" They returned the pin and failed to take his watch, presumably because it was engraved with his initials.

Then the robbers made him drive to Missouri and Allen avenues and get out. They said they would leave the machine downtown, but it has not been found.

**Held Up by Youth.**  
Charles Sellinger of 2710A Geyer avenue was held up at 2100 Lafayette avenue at 9 p. m. by a youth, who took \$2.50 from him. Henry Pioneer of 736 Wyoming street, a fruit delivery chauffeur, was held up after making a delivery at 4388 Washington boulevard at 6:15 p. m. by a man who forced him into a hallway and took \$3 in cash and \$50 in checks.

An inventory yesterday of the loss in the burglary Sunday night of Broida Bros. Dry Goods Co., 1317 Washington avenue, placed the loss at \$5300. This included 90 dozen shirts, 100 dozen pairs of silk hose and men's and boys' suits.

Burglars last night took 25 bolts of cloth, valued at \$500, from the Robert Fadem Tailoring Co., 4967 Hodiamont right-of-way, and \$50 and \$10 worth of stamps from the Nat. L. McGuire Oil and Supply Co., 301 South Vandeventer avenue, where the combination was knocked from the safe.

**ZUPKE'S GIRL AID IN KILLING  
OF CORA RABER SENTENCED**  
Florence McKinney Gets One to Seven Years in Detroit House of Correction.

By the Associated Press.  
BENTON HARBOR, Mich., Jan. 6.—Florence McKinney, 19 years old, was sentenced to serve from one to seven years in the Detroit House of Correction, following her plea of guilty as an accessory after the fact of the murder of Cora May Bader, August 6, last.

Sentence was announced yesterday by Judge Chas. E. White.

Cora Raber was choked to death by her former sweetheart, Emil Zupke, while the McKinney girl, with whom Zupke had become infatuated, drove Zupke's roadster, in which the crime was committed. The body was found a few days later in the deep tangle of underbrush to which, according to confessions of Zupke and Miss McKinney, they had dragged it. Zupke is in prison at Marquette, serving a life sentence. He was a St. Joseph factory worker.

## Shaving Specials

Williams' Shaving Soap, barber's size; bar 6c  
Williams' Shaving Cream 32c  
Williams' Facial Solution 39c  
Gillette Safety Razor Blades, for Wednesday only; 10 to package, 75c; 5 to package 39c  
Cutlery Shop—First Floor.

# Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

Store Hours: Daily, 9 to 5:30; Saturday, 9 to 6

Olive and Locust From Ninth to Tenth

## Wednesday News of the White and Clearance Sales

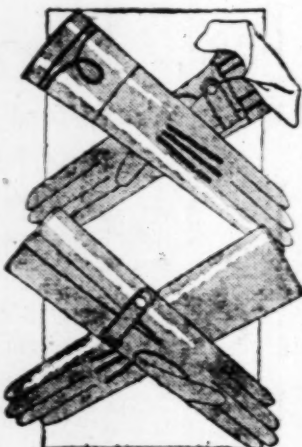
January Clearance Sale Features These Women's

## Chamois-Suede Fabric Gloves

Novelty Cuff and Gauntlet Styles

Regular \$1.00 Gloves

69c



GLOVES from our own stocks that meet every Vandervoort requirement of fine quality linked with low sale price. They come in the soft shades of mode, beaver, beige and brown giving the effect of suede.

Strap-wrist and one-clasp fancy turn-back embroidered cuff styles.

Every pair is perfectly made with such special features as two-tone embroidered back, P. K. or inseam sewn. As women know, chamoisuede fabric Gloves are comfortably warm to wear Winter months. Sizes 5½ to 7½.

Aisle Tables—First Floor.

## Pretty Silk Underthings

A Feature in the January Sale at

New Styles \$3.98 Blossom Shades

## Envelope Chemise, Bloomers, Step-Ins, Costume Slips, Nightgowns

THE groups of Silk Underthings at \$3.98 are particularly noteworthy from the standpoint of quality, of careful workmanship, and of prettiness which always makes the first appeal.

| Silks          | Trimmings     | Shades   |
|----------------|---------------|----------|
| Creme de Chine | Laces         | Orchid.  |
| Radium Silk    | Tuckings      | Maize    |
| Wash Satin     | Hemstitchings | Flesh    |
|                |               | Nile     |
|                |               | Honeydew |

The woman who has proven the economy of Silk Underthings—in many instances outwearing other garments two to one—and who knows how easily and simply they launder will enjoy allotting a goodly share of her underwear allowance to these exceptionally priced Silk Underthings.

Lingerie Shop—Third Floor.

Priced Far Below Regular—Basement Sale of Women's

## Pumps, Oxfords, High Shoes

Choice, \$1.00 Pair

SEVERAL hundred pairs of women's Shoes, all from a well-known manufacturer, are grouped at the extraordinary price of \$1.00 for quick disposal. In good styles for present wear, as

Black kid or brown calf Oxfords, with Cuban heels.

Strap or step-in Pumps in black kid, with high heels.

High lace kid, and some calf Shoes, with choice of Cuban or high heels.

A good size range is included in the lot, though not every size in each model. Women fitted from this group Thursday will enjoy an extreme price saving.

Women's Shoe Shop—Basement.

P. S.—Special—Women's Spats in dark or light gray or black, only 79c

## January Sale of Handbags

A Greatly Anticipated Event in Which Regular Vandervoort Stocks Are Offered in Four Sale Groups, at Exceptional Savings.

\$1.95

Pouch and envelope leather Handbags fitted with purse and mirror; many styles from which to choose.

\$3.45

Flat styles in patent and Morocco leathers with top or back strap; a few silk Bags in this group.

\$4.95

Envelope shapes with inside compartments; many with individual purses and mirrors; back and top straps.

\$5.95

Very fine Morocco and patent leather Handbags with special features of attached purse and pockets.

Vandervoort's Handbag Shop—First Floor.

**Central**  
MILLINERY CO.  
615 North Broadway  
Between Washington and Lucas

## \$6400 WATER-DAMAGE SALE

This loss has been adjusted by the insurance underwriters for less than 50c on the dollar—so we must sell everything Wednesday to clear out the stocks.

## OVER 300 LADIES' COATS \$7.50

That Sold Up to \$39.75 \$11.75  
Slightly damaged by water from a bursted sprinkler—(wearing qualities not impaired) all guaranteed perfect otherwise.

Far-Trimmed Coats— \$18.75  
Bolivias, Plushes, Velours, Etc.

Choice in 3 Lots at

SEVERAL HUNDRED

## DRESSES

Worth Up to \$35.00 \$5.00  
Slightly water damaged; guaranteed perfect otherwise.

Silks, Satins, Cloths, Etc., \$9.75  
CHOICE AT.....

ENTIRE STOCK OF AT LESS THAN TAILORED SUITS COST!!

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# Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

Store Hours: Daily, 9:00 to 5:30. Saturday, 9:00 to 6:00. Olive and Locust From Ninth to Tenth.

Starting Wednesday—Vandervoort's Semi-Annual Sale of

## Manhattan Shirts

Every Manhattan Shirt in Stock

Offered at 1/3 Off Regular Price



WORTH-WHILE savings can be enjoyed if you purchase your supply for the coming six months.

Our stock is very complete and offers all the latest patterns and colors.

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| \$2.50 Shirts..... | \$1.65 |
| \$2.85 Shirts..... | \$1.90 |
| \$3.00 Shirts..... | \$2.00 |
| \$3.15 Shirts..... | \$2.10 |
| \$3.50 Shirts..... | \$2.35 |
| \$3.85 Shirts..... | \$2.60 |
| \$4.00 Shirts..... | \$2.65 |
| \$4.15 Shirts..... | \$2.75 |
| \$4.35 Shirts..... | \$2.90 |
| \$4.50 Shirts..... | \$3.00 |
| \$5.00 Shirts..... | \$3.35 |

Other Manhattan Shirts

Regularly \$6 to \$10

\$4.10 to \$6.65

Vandervoort's Men's Furnishing Shop—First Floor—Ninth and Olive.

## Cunning Little Garments for Baby

ALL the needfuls to keep baby warm during wintry weather here in a varied assortment at moderate prices. Handmade White Batiste Dresses at \$1 Slip-on Sweaters, knitted, white or pink, at \$1.50  
Bootees, with colored edge, at 50c  
Receiving Blankets, bound in blue or pink, at 75c  
Cotton Flannelette Wrappers, silk bindings, at 75c  
Cotton Flannelette Nightgowns at 25c  
Infants' Cotton Hose at 75c  
Ear Conformer Caps, reinforced, at 75c  
Kleinert's Rubber Sheets, yard square, at 75c  
Rubber Diapers, medium and large sizes, at 35c  
Terry Cloth Bibs, rubber lined, at 15c  
4-Piece Brushed Wool Sweater Sets at \$4.95  
Rubens' Shirts, formerly 50c and 75c, at 35c  
(Not all sizes in the lot)  
Ivory Finish Bath Table, canvas top, at \$3.95  
Bathrobes, sizes 2 to 6 years \$1.95, \$2.50, \$3.95  
Infants' Shop—Third Floor.

## January Clearance of Apparel and Furs

Offers Savings of

1/4, 1/3 and 1/2

Less Than Regular Prices

THIS is a wonderful opportunity to buy high-grade Vandervoort garments in the very height of style at greatly reduced prices.

Remarkable groups of coats, suits, dresses, furs, blouses and skirts.

For women, misses and juniors, including extra sizes and sports apparel.

Apparel Shops—Second and Third Floors.

## Notion Specials

One-Day Sale Prices—Wednesday Only

Household Aprons

Regularly \$1.50

At 95c Each



Durable, all-rubber Aprons, rubber bound in contrasting color; finished with dainty grape motif. Has pocket. In choice of lovely blue, pink or rose colors.

Imported Needlebooks Regularly 65c Each

At 45c Each

With leather backs and heavy novelty backs. Conveniently fitted with high-grade needles, bodkins and darning.

Turkinit Wash Cloths Regularly 15c Each

6 for 50c

Good quality, full size Wash Cloths, with pretty crochet borders in choice of pink, blue, yellow and lavender.

Novelty Buttons Regularly 75c Dozen

At 39c Doz.

Full ball Buttons in prettiest effects for smart dress trimmings. Choice of cherry red, tan, black, brown, yellow and purple.

Sanitary Step-Ins Regularly 50c

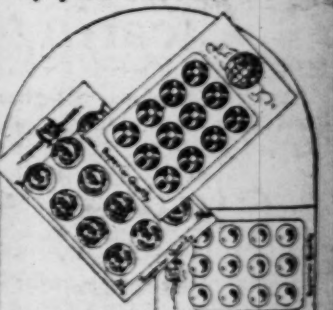
At 29c Each

Made of extra good quality all rubber. In choice of medium and large sizes.

Jiffy Pants Regularly 50c

At 29c Each

Infants' all-rubber Jiffy Pants in large and medium sizes. Made of good quality yellow rubber.



Notions Shop—First Floor.

Featured in the January Sales

## Entire Stock Hair Goods

1/4 Off

SELECT any Switch or Transformation you admire in the Hair-Beauty Shop—note the price on the tag—and deduct 25% from regular price for this sale event. Typical instances are:

\$5 Hair Goods Now \$3.75  
\$10 Hair Goods Now \$7.50

All Sophia Toilet Preparations and Hair Nels Included in this Clearance Sale, 25% Discount  
Vandervoort's Hair-Beauty Shop—Third Floor.

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If your yearly \$1.00—reaches you you will receive a novel "High N" "The Bee Hun" Joseph C. Linc Terhune, Corra others, but also unusual merit a

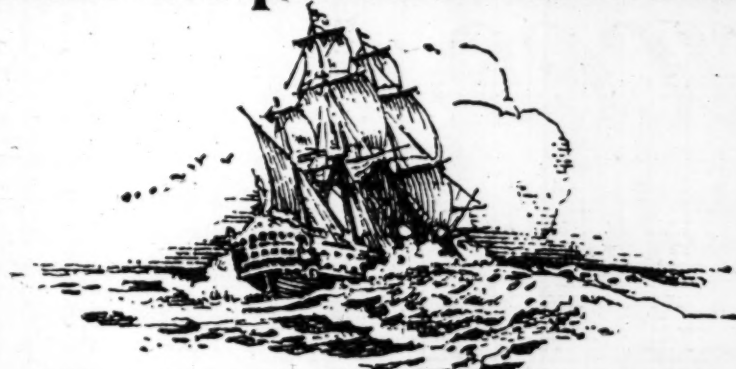
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# HARRY EMERSON FOSDICK

## "What Christian Liberals are Driving At"

Once heretics were burned at the stake, but today measured thought strives to replace savage intolerance. Denied a regular pulpit in the Presbyterian Church by the fundamentalists, Harry Emerson Fosdick has won foremost recognition as a Christian thinker and liberal. Read this remarkable article in the January Ladies' Home Journal and you will know at least why churches are packed when Dr. Fosdick speaks.



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oven through a story of great adventure — of Eighteenth Century piracy, slave-trade and high society — is the life of a most fascinating naval deserter. The grim civilization, raw and rough, sets off vividly the advance made in a century and a half. "High Noon" by Crosbie Garstin begins in the January Ladies' Home Journal.

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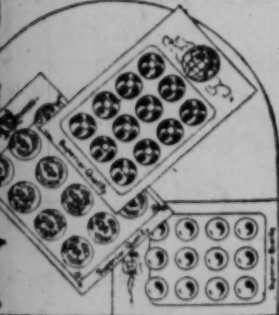
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NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Florenz Ziegfeld Jr. in association with William Randolph Hearst, and Arthur Brisbane will build two theaters here and will follow this by construction of playhouses in Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago, the New York Times says.

Ziegfeld has leased the Cosmopolitan Theater here, a Hearst motion picture house, and will open there with one of his own productions, the story says. The new theater will be known as the Ziegfeld and the Millie Burke, and will be built by Hearst and Brisbane for lease to Ziegfeld. Ziegfeld refused to comment on the matter last night.

Non-Mormon Governor in Utah. By the Associated Press. SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Jan. 6.—George H. Dern of Salt Lake City, a Democrat, was sworn in as Governor of Utah at noon yesterday, succeeding Charles B. Mabey.

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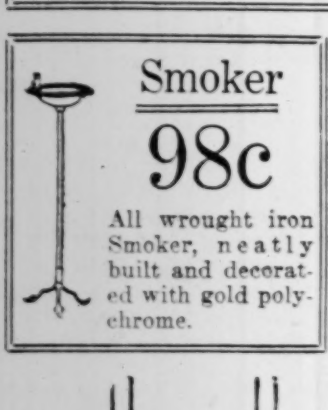
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Yard  
\$2.50 Colored Dress Satins. New light or dark shades. Yard wide.  
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5c Toilet Paper—Large 8-rolls Manila crepe tissue; Roll of 20 rolls to customer. 20 for **98c**  
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10c Ivory Soap Flakes—just the thing for washing fine silks and linens; limit 12 boxes. 4 for **39c**  
\$2.50 Wool Jersey—54-inch fine quality, all wool; made from fine yarns; will not sag; good dress weight; colors: tan, red, henna, powder blue, Madonna blue, rust, peacock, gray, rosewood, brown and navy **\$1.89**

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Another shipment of new, lovely Dresses, added to our big sale of \$5.00 Dresses—making a complete assortment of very desirable models for the miss or matron. Many Dresses in this group are well worth twice this price.

**965 Pretty Silk and Cloth Dresses**

**Sale Price \$5**  
**Materials—**  
Flat Crepes  
Cotton Velvets  
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Blazer Stripes  
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**Styles—**  
Straightline Tunic  
Basque Coat Models  
Paneled  
Trimmed With Gold Braid Ribbons Beads Fringe Metal Ornaments

**Colors—**  
Black Navy Brown  
Cocoa Tan Gray  
Cranberry Navy Blue  
**Sizes—**  
Misses' sizes, 14 to 18.  
Women's sizes, 36 to 46  
Extra sizes, 48 to 52

**189 Fur-Trimmed Coats**  
These Coats formerly sold from \$12.95 to \$15.00. Well made of good materials—velours, black polairs, Bolivias, silk plushes, etc. All sizes for women and misses. **\$8.85**

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Royal Society  
New Spring Pack

Our new Spring line of stamp work packages is here, with an array of finished models to show how each article will look when used.

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## Coats



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Beginning tomorrow, Wednesday, the semi-annual sale of Manhattan Shirts at reduced prices.

\$3.50 English Broadcloth  
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\$2.85 fancy collar to mat  
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## Rugs

\$60 Axminster  
9x12 ft. Axminster Rugs of heavy duty quality. Shown in neat designs, colorings, suitable for any room in the home. **\$49**  
\$40.00 Axminster Rug  
9x12 ft. Axminster Rugs of excellent quality that will give wonderful life. Choice selection of designs and colorings. **\$34**

## \$21.50 Full 100-Piece Dinner Sets

Attractive new Princess shape, beautiful small gold and silver decoration. Gold line edges, some pieces slightly mismatched. Complete service for 12 persons, while 40 sets last. **\$17.45**  
Gold-Band Water Glasses  
Fine Colonial style, clear glass Water Glasses with wide, heavy gold band around top. Set 6 for **75c**



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## Coats Reduced!



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Three big groups—Wednesday! Coats at one-third and almost one-half off the regular selling price. The furs used for trimmings, and the materials alone, cost more than the sale price in many cases. Every Winter Coat must be sold, and at this price they will not last long. Prices reduced without regard to former cost and selling price.

Values  
\$25, \$30, \$35  
**\$19**

Furs: Thibetean, Moufflon, Muskrat, Nutria, Coney, Manchurian Wolf (Chinese Dog).

Materials: Normandies, Velveteen, Raritan, Velva Suede, Fur and Sport Fabrics.

Styles: The styles are the straightline or hand tailored, side effects, fur collars and collars and cuffs, and some are plain trimmed. All are full lined.

Colors: Black, brown, cranberry, tan, taupe, and rust.

Women's & Misses' Sizes, 16 to 36, 38 to 44

Values  
\$40, \$45, \$50  
**\$27**

Furs: Natural Squirrel, French Seal (Dyed Coney), Marmink, Muskrat, Manchurian Wolf (Chinese Dog), and Moufflon.

Materials: Velva Suede, Velveteen, Excello, Normandies, Ormandale, Truvonette and Fur Fabrics.

Styles: These Coats are trimmed with fur collars, collars and cuffs, and some with borders. Others have just a touch of fur on pockets, barrel or bell sleeves, pouch or chin collars. All are lined throughout.

Colors: Black, brown, cranberry, oxblood, saddle, penny and taupe.

Women's & Misses' Sizes, 14 to 18, 36 to 44

Values  
\$50, \$55, \$60  
**\$36**

Furs: Natural Squirrel, Beaver, Wolf, Opossum, Fox, Marmink, Hudson Seal (Dyed Muskrat).

Materials: Velveteen, Veloria, Ormandale, Mokine, Lustrosa, Velveteen, Truvonette.

Styles: Side-button models, wrappy effects, straightline or hand tailored, trimmed with fur collars, collars and cuffs and some with borders. All are silk or crepe lined.

Colors: Penny, saddle, cranberry, coffee, dusk, rosewood, black, and taupe.

Women's & Misses' Sizes, 14 to 18, 36 to 44

## The Big Yard-Goods Sale Continues Unabated!

**Manhattan**  
Beginning tomorrow, Wednesday, the semi-annual sale of Manhattan Shirts at reduced prices.

## Baby Day

**\$1.50 Bathrobes**  
For little tots of 2 to 4 years. Made of heavy robing in pink or blue with white nursery designs. Slightly soiled. **\$1.00**

**\$1.75 Baby Blankets**  
Large size, heavy fleeced Blankets. Have bound edge. In all-white. Sizes 38x50 inches. **\$1.25**

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Plain knit and brush wool Sets, including Sweater, Cap, Leggings and some with mitts. Soiled. Broken sizes. **\$3.95**

**\$3.95 Baby Buntings**  
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Large size Pads, filled with washable cotton. Size 27x40 inches. **95c**

**\$2.50 Knitted Sets**  
Baby's first Sweater Set, consisting of Sweater, Cap and Booties of white wool zephyr with fancy borders of pink or blue. **\$2.00**

**\$1.50 Union Suits**  
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Step-Ins, each **39c**

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**Household Aprons**  
Gum rubber Aprons, tape-bound. Various colors. **29c**

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Double mesh. Nets of human hair. All shades except white and gray. **6 for 39c**

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9x12 ft. Axminster. Beautiful small pink spray decoration. Heavy durable quality. Shown in neat designs and colorings, suitable for any room in the home. **\$49.95**

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9x12 ft. Axminster Rugs of excellent quality that will give wonderful service. Choice selection of designs and colorings. **\$34.95**

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9x12 Velvet Rugs of very closely woven quality. In neat selection of designs and color blendings. **\$29.75**

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Attractive new Princess shape. Beautiful small pink spray decoration. Gold line edges; complete service for 12 persons; while 40 sets last. **\$17.45**

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**\$2.50 Satin Charmeuse**—in gray, navy blue, brown or black. 40 inches wide. **\$1.59**

**\$2.25 Crepe de Chines**—in light and dark colors or black. 40 inches wide. **\$1.59**

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36-inch best quality Satinette. In plain shades, also with self-colored stripes. Complete line of colors. Yard. **59c**

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## BUSINESS GETS INTO HOLE ON SPEAKERSHIP

Associated Industries Hedges on Winter, May Aid Parker, Who Has Dry Help.

By CURTIS A. BETTS,  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 6.—It is not unlikely that there will be a realignment of support among the three candidates for the speakership—Representatives Parker of St. Louis, Winter of Warrenton and Campbell of Stockton—before the Republican House caucus tonight. Winter is threatened with the loss of the support of the Associated Industries, which, if brought about, will eliminate him.

That organization early in the contest threw its strength to Winter, not because it was particularly for him, but to defeat Parker, whose record on workmen's compensation legislation in previous sessions was not satisfactory to it. At that time it could not see that Campbell had any material strength.

Upon the arrival of the Associated Industries lobby in Jefferson City, however, it found that its influence had weakened Winter in some quarters and that Campbell had a considerable support among farmer members. It then began to hedge in its support of Winter, following the usual political and legislative practice of getting out from under a candidate whose defeat seems imminent. The word now has gone out that the organization, above all things, wants to defeat Campbell, and that, if it is necessary to shift its support from Winter to Parker to make certain Campbell's defeat, it will do so.

Organization in a Hole. As a matter of fact, the organization, which is particularly interested in getting the kind of a compensation law business wants, and in defeating ratification of the Federal child labor amendment to the Constitution, is in something of a hole.

Organizations having a legislative program usually avoid active participation in factional fights within the organization of the Legislature for the very good reason that they might lose and thus be in bad standing with the winner. Usually they prefer to watch from the sidelines and trust to making their arrangements anew with the successful candidates.

But, in this instance, the Associated Industries got into the speakership contest and when the fall of the cards indicated the partnership they had elected probably would be unable to play a winning hand, there was little to do except back up, and that is what all the indications point to. There seems little doubt that, with the vote which can be influenced by the Associated Industries, Parker can win if it is thrown to him.

Anti-Saloon Support. While the Anti-Saloon League does not appear to be taking a very active hand in the contest, the word has been passed around, strange to relate, that Parker is the League's choice among the three candidates. It will be the first time that a St. Louis member ever has had the support of the League, and it can not be explained from any Anti-Saloon League angle, in this instance. Parker's legislative record contains nothing which would possibly include him

among the list of League champions. The caucus was to have been held last night but the candidates agreed because of the absence of a number of members to postpone it until tonight. Likewise the senate Democratic caucus was postponed until tonight, three senators having failed to arrive. The senators here had an information conference in the senate lounge last night, discussing the clerical force and other routine matters, though not touching upon caucus policy on legislation or confirmations.

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**WINTER COMING, SAVE TIME, FORBES ARGUED**

Witness Testifies for Defense on Hospital Contracts; Taken in by Mortimer's 'Line.'

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Col. E. F. Walton, who, as executive officer of the construction service of the Quartermaster General's office, handled the Veterans' Bureau hospital building program under former Director Charles R. Forbes, was cross-examined today in the Forbes-Thompson conspiracy trial as to routine details under which the Northampton, Mass., hospital foundation contract was awarded to the Pontiac Construction Co.

J. W. Thompson, St. Louis contractor, who is on trial with Forbes for alleged conspiracy to defraud the Government, through veterans' hospitals, was interested in the Pontiac firm. It got the Northampton contract on a bid \$27,000 higher than that of the Northeastern Construction Co. of New York but calling for completion of the work in half the time.

Col. Walton testified yesterday that army engineers recommended acceptance of the Northeastern bid, but later were won over by Forbes' argument in view of the 50 days difference in time in favor of the Pontiac company. Contract awards on the basis were not without precedent in the army construction division, the witness said.

"In every conversation I had with Forbes," he added, "he impressed upon me that speed was the most important factor in handling the Veterans' Bureau program."

The Northampton contract was the only one ever awarded any of Thompson's companies and is the basis of the prosecution case.

**Winter Was Coming.**

"Col. Forbes argued that, in view of the approaching winter, the 60 days' saving in time would more than offset the money difference of \$27,000," Col. Walton said. "He said it would mean a great saving of time to get the foundations in sufficiently early to permit of the superstructure being well under way before the extreme cold weather."

Walton asserted Elias H. Mortimer, chief Government witness, appeared in the Quartermaster General's department twice during the months in question—the summer of 1922—in an effort to sell certain building materials, but that he could not legitimately, under the established regulations of the department, have had any access to plans, sketches or blueprints of proposed hospital work prior to their having been made available to contractors and bidders generally. Mortimer testified he had seen plans of the Northampton project in the War Department before the Pontiac bid was entered.

**The Luncheon Story.**  
The Government introduced in evidence yesterday a document offered to support the prosecution allegation that Mortimer had been given an interest in a Colombia (South American) railroad, oil and mining concession syndicate in return for his "influence" with former President Harding.

E. G. Dahlberg, a member of the syndicate, in which Thompson and his partner, J. W. Black, were interested, testified last week that Mortimer had offered, on April 7, 1922, to have President Harding invite the President-elect of Colombia, who then was in New York, to a White House luncheon, and to have President Harding speak in complimentary terms of the syndicate members. It later became apparent to his associates, Dahlberg continued, that they had been "taken in by Mortimer's line."

The Government introduced a letter, dated May 6, 1922, from Black to W. D. Pratt of Kansas City, Mo., another member of a syndicate in which reference was made to an anticipated meeting between President Harding and the President-elect of Colombia. One paragraph of the letter read:

"We have arranged it that when the President of the United States invited Mr. Ospina (the President-elect of Colombia) to luncheon, the President of the United States was going to remark he was glad to see they were dealing with American contractors, naming them, and that it was a good omen for the future relations of the country. I have not had a report of this meeting, but as soon as I can see the party in Washington I will get the dope." The letter was identified as a carbon copy from the files of J. W. Black.

**Woman's C. of C. Luncheon.**  
The Woman's Chamber of Commerce will hold its monthly luncheon Thursday noon at the Chamber of Commerce building. It is entitled the "Birthdays Luncheon" of the organization. A legislative program has been arranged. Victor Miller, a probable candidate for the

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mayoralty, will speak. Judge Moses Hartman and Arthur V. Lashly are also on the program. A debate for and against the proposed child labor amendment by Dr. George Mangold, speaking in favor of the resolution, and Ernest Reeves, opposing, has been arranged.



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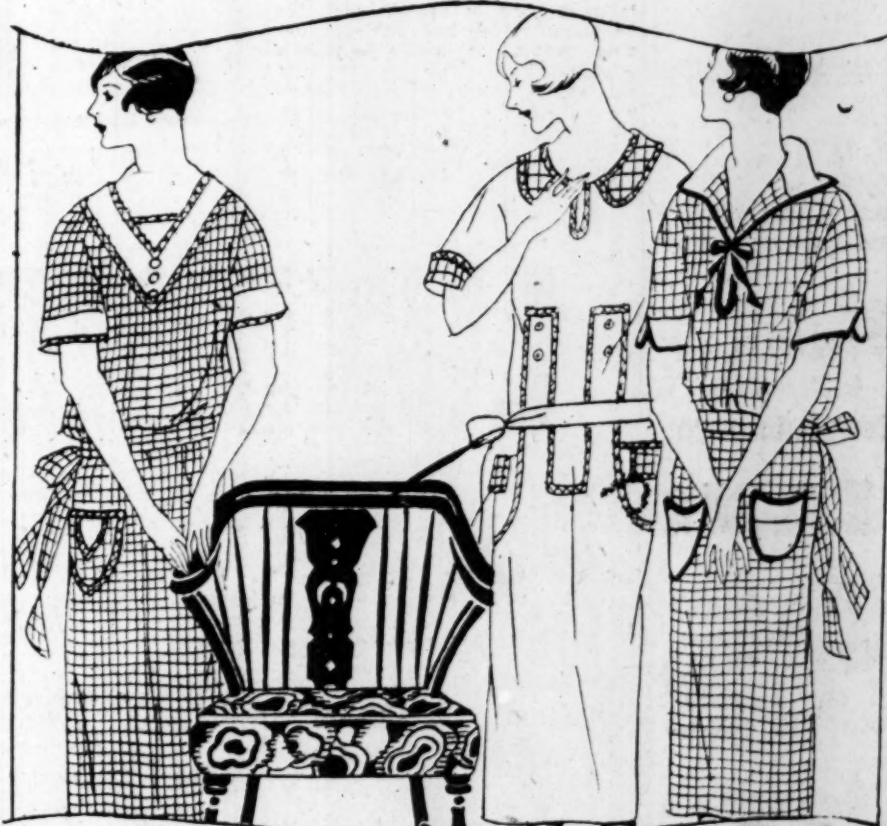
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### SUIT INVOLVING FRANZ ESTATE IS DISMISSED

Judge Davis Upholds Motion by G. A. Buder, Trustee—Accounting Was Sought.

The suit of Eberhardt W. Franz for an accounting of the \$2,000,000 estate of his father, the late E. D. Franz, whose fortune grew from a \$2100 "river" in Burroughs Adding Machine stock 28 years ago, was dismissed on a technicality by Federal Judge Davis yesterday.

The Court upheld a motion by the defendant, G. A. Buder, one of two trustees of the estate, in which dismissal was asked on the ground that all of the heirs to the estate should have been made parties to the action. The plaintiff is one of 10 children of testator whose widow now lives in Pasadena, Cal.

Since the trust was formed she has been receiving \$16,000 a year and each of the children \$5000 from the income of the estate.

The younger Franz in his suit demanded an accounting, an order increasing the \$100,000 bond under which Buder and Gustav A. V. Franz acted as trustees and a court order stipulating his (the plaintiff's) interest in the estate. Judge Davis ruled that he could not pass on the case unless all heirs were parties to the litigation and handed down his decision without comment. It is expected the plaintiff will file an amended petition.

It was in 1896 that Franz, a St. Louis wholesale grocer of modest means, purchased 210 shares of stock of the American Arithmetic Co., which later became the Burroughs Adding Machine Co., one of the biggest bonanzas of American industrial history. After his death in 1908 the value of the estate has grown steadily. At a recent hearing Buder testified the estate was worth between \$250,000 and \$300,000 in 1909 when the trust agreement was executed, \$1,600,000 in 1912, and \$2,800,000 in 1919. Its present value of \$2,000,000 does not include distributions to heirs which aggregate about \$1,000,000.

THIRD PRINCETON CUP DEBATE

Central and McKinley High Teams to Meet Friday Night.

The third of a series of Princeton Cup debates between teams representing Central and McKinley High Schools will be held at 6 p. m. Friday at the McKinley High School auditorium. The question will be: "Resolved, That the City of St. Louis should own and operate the street railways." McKinley upholding the affirmative.

The McKinley debaters are Frederick Hines, William Evans and Cullen Coll, with Rene Lusser as alternative, and those from Central are Jacob Langbein, Bernard Hollander and Harry Agnew, with Roy Berchans as alternate. A master program will be provided by the McKinley High School Glee Club.

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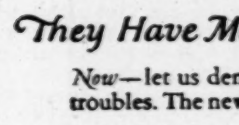
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E. J. Ponath, in Deposition, Tells of His Interest in Litigation Through Claim on McGinnis' Estate.

The litigation which the late Erasmus McGinnis began in 1921 against the late Charles B. Stark to recover certain real estate and stock which Stark acquired from McGinnis by foreclosure on an original loan of \$15,000, apparently will end on after their deaths, but with a third and living party of interest in the suit.

He is Edward J. Ponath, a real estate man, who testified, in giving his deposition yesterday in support of a claim he has presented against McGinnis' estate, that he is entitled to 10 per cent of whatever may eventually be recovered from Stark's estate. He bases his claim on the grounds that he got William Sacka, St. Louis capitalist and one of the recently convicted defendants in the Hawkins Mortgage Co. mail fraud case, to agree to advance \$15,000 to recover the property— a contention supported by Sacka in his deposition, also given yesterday.

Stark and McGinnis, one time cronies, were for many years practicing lawyers in St. Louis. Stark, who twice sought the Democratic nomination for Judge of the State Supreme Court, died Dec. 30 in Pasadena, Cal., at the age of 74. His former friend died a year ago, at the age of 82.

**Origin of the Transaction.**

The unusual transaction had its origin in about 1911, when McGinnis borrowed \$15,000 from Stark, pledging as security certain property, including nine-twentieths interest in Belle Island, an 800-acre Mississippi River acreage from Chilcot County, Arkansas; a business property in Denver, Colo.; 19 shares of the Queen Mine, a French Mining Co., a Colorado corporation, with 54 shares capital, and a four-family flat building at Clara and Wells avenues, St. Louis.

McGinnis was unable to repay, and in due time Stark sued and received judgment, with interest, and later foreclosed on the properties. But McGinnis claimed there was an error in the form of foreclosure sale, invalidating the transaction, and brought suit to recover. Stark entered a demurrer, which was sustained, but an appeal to the Missouri Supreme Court was sustained, and the case remanded. Thus, the suit is in its original form.

Ponath, under questioning of his attorney, H. J. Billas, in giving his deposition in Elias' office in the Title Guaranty Building yesterday, related that he called at McGinnis' office in the Fullerton Building, in 1921, where McGinnis narrated the history of the transaction.

**Ponath's Interest in Case.**

"McGinnis said the properties had been illegally transferred, but that before the reconveyance could be made, if ordered, he would have to raise about \$25,000 to satisfy Stark's judgment. I told him I had a millionaire, who would make the tender of the purchase, and I took him to the office of William Sacka."

Sacka corroborated this version and identified a contract made between him and McGinnis, whereby for advancing the money he was first to be reimbursed in full, and then was to share half in half in the sale of the properties up to \$150,000. The tender was duly made, by legal notice, he said, and he stood ready to carry out the contract today.

Sacka also testified that the contract, which expired last October, had been extended two years by an order in the St. Louis Probate Court, issued last December.

**Contract Only Verbal.**

Under cross-examination by Walter C. Guehl, administrator for McGinnis' estate, Ponath admitted his 10 per cent contract was not in writing, but that he had misplaced a memorandum to that effect. However, in describing his services, besides finding a financial "angel" for McGinnis, he told of other services rendered.

He said he called at McGinnis' office perhaps 50 times, and turned over to him certain telegrams received from Stark in California. This brought out that formerly he had been retained as Stark's agent to sell the Belle Island property, and that he was now the agent of the owner of the eleven twentieths—Merritt Marshall, Stark, at one time, he said, was willing to settle the litigation for \$50,000.

**Rabbi Named Legislative Chaplain.**

By the Associated Press.

OAKLAND, Cal., Jan. 6.—Election of Dr. Rudolph I. Coffee, rabbi of Temple Sinai, Oakland, as chaplain of the California Assembly yesterday is said to be the first instance in history of a rabbi of the Jewish church being elected as chaplain of a state legislative body.

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(Third and Fourth Floors.)

Under  
Southern  
Skies

by  
Shirley Deane

A REVIEW of the stunning new Southern land modes throughout the store brings an almost irresistible desire to fly to the South, just to be able to appear in them without a moment's delay.

Frocks of gaily printed silks in polka-dot and floral designs reveal in those tints that will not be outdone by the brilliant southern sun. Dainty lace and embroidery ensembles over metallic slips bring new expressions in lingerie Dresses. And for sportswear, never have Kashmirs and flannels been so delicate in solid hues or so smart in piquant details.

Though fashion changes usually come gradually, the new Spring Coats sound an entirely new fashion note. Soft Kashmirs and velvates in striking patterns or solid colors wear at their hems enormous bands of the new blonde furs.

Ensemble Suits are so ultra-chic that they revive the aristocracy of the Suit world.

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Even the run-down and skinny grown-ups, who ought to take cod liver oil, because it really is the greatest vitamin food and builder of healthy flesh in the world, will feel extremely joyful when they read this welcome news.

Of course doctors have been prescribing cod liver oil in tablets under another name for several years, but it is only of late that one can walk into a drug store and get a box of these flesh producing tablets just as easy as a bottle of cough syrup.

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MISTOOK SERVICES AT  
MISSION FOR "PARTY"

Woman Celebrator Promises to  
Stop Drinking and Court  
Stays Her Fine.

The post-Christmas drinking season, which by unwritten law closed Sunday night, bade itself good-bye in police court yesterday. The irregularities prompted by this last gasp of the wine that is red, and the liquor whose color is indelible, in one case led to that which was deemed by Police Judge Homer slightly irreverent. Enter, then, Miss Catherine Crow of 1617 Hickory street.

Miss Crow, by her own admission, spent that period of Sunday afternoon, which is devoted to tea, in drinking highballs. She neglected to state when they were ginger ale or soda highballs. It didn't make much difference, however, for Miss Crow wandered down Hickory street until she stood before the Pentecost mission. Two blocks below her home, Miss Crow, who is only 19, saw lights and heard many and fervent voices raised in song. She thought it was a party. So she "crashed the party."

Likewise the plate glass in the front door. Much to Miss Crow's surprise she was not welcomed. She was even asked to leave. This she declined to do. So she was forcibly ejected. Leading the ejectors was Charles Hunt, a blacksmith, leader of the mission. About this time a policeman came along. Miss Crow spoke of the officer in words which could not be deemed complimentary. And the patrolman, not being accustomed to such language, arrested her.

Yesterday she promised Judge Homer to quit drinking. So he stayed her fine. When asked by the city's attorney if she didn't think she ought to go to her church and take the pledge, she replied that she didn't drink enough for that. Miss Crow stated to a reporter that she spent a miserable night in jail. "None of that sleeping on boards for me," said Miss Crow. "Me for the sheets." She was attired in a black coat. Her hair was slightly disheveled.

Henry Meeuwick of 3525 Belle avenue, another post-Christmas reveler, graced Judge Matthews' court. He is about 5 feet 8 inches in height. Patrolman Reed is which 5 feet something. But this difference in size didn't deter Meeuwick from taking off his coat at Grand boulevard and Franklin avenue, at 2 a. m. yesterday, and asking Reed to step up. He likewise addressed the policeman in no gentle terms. Reed didn't accept the invitation, but locked Meeuwick up instead. The prisoner was fined \$5 and costs.

PERMIT TO ERECT 22-STORY  
THEATER BUILDING GRANTED

Permit to erect a 22-story building, 250 feet high and similar in architectural mass to the Railway Exchange Building was granted Skouras Brothers, moving picture exhibitors, by the Board of Public Service this morning. The building, to be erected at the northwest corner of Locust and Seventh streets, is to house the proposed downtown "Ambassador" Theater, and the project is to cost \$4,000,000.

The application granted this morning will be certified to the Board of Aldermen for final action and must be approved by that body under the building code. It had the recommendation, this morning, of Director of Public Safety Christopher. Skouras Brothers were not represented before the board when action was taken.

Under the ordinance the building could reach to but 206 feet, or 17 stories, without the special permit. The original plan called for a 250-foot building with a 60-foot tower, its outline to be penciled in light against the night, but this was abandoned by Skouras Brothers, according to Director of Public Safety Christopher, because of the expense of strengthening the building to carry the tower.

The plans to be considered, by the Board of Public Service call for a building of which what would be the first eight floors are to be devoted to the theater and from the ninth to the twenty-second floor will be occupied by offices. It will front 127 feet 6 inches on Locust and 164 feet on Seventh street.

The filing of the bill of exceptions is the first step in taking an appeal. Baer said counsel had not yet decided whether to ask super-seas bonds for the prisoners.

## NEMO JANUARY SPECIAL

New Nemo Models  
Cover All Corset Needs

These four new Nemo models will hold much interest for the woman who takes proper care of her figure and who realizes the importance of giving her new apparel a perfect foundation. Fashionable lines, excellent fabrics and scientific designing are apparent in each one of these styles.

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Just below No. 555, the standing figure wears the same model but of plain pink coutil. Model No. 355 \$3.00

The seated figure wears a seamless Circlet. Clever encircling darts give it desirable contour-controlling qualities. Made of pink silk striped novelty cloth. Sizes 24 to 48... \$1.00

The standing figure on the right wears the newest Netherall model, "Carol." Side closing and lightly boned over the diaphragm. Silk striped novelty cloth, two sets of hose supporters, elastic insert in the back is all the description \$3.00 space will permit. Sizes 24 to 48... \$3.00

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Remember, your money will be refunded if Pain Ointment does not cure.

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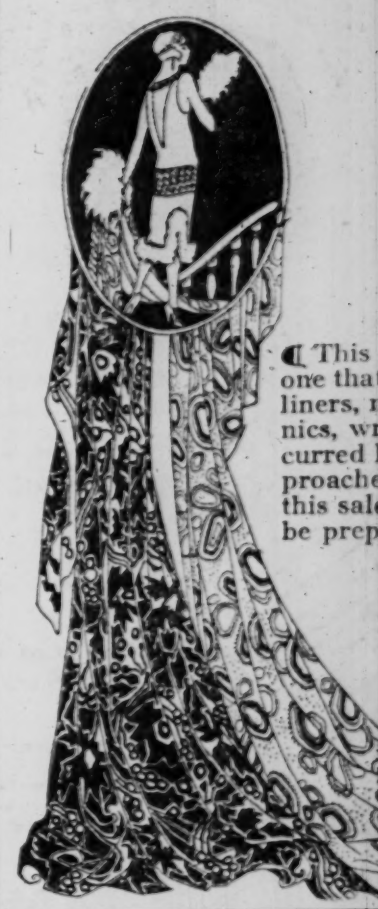
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Of heavy and medium weight yarns, in middie, all-over and coat styles. Many plain colors and combinations, sizes 14 to 24. Seconds of \$3.95 to \$4.95. \$1.95 value. Basement Economy Store

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8.85

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In a Sale Beginning Wednesday Morning, at, Yard

### \$4.98

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Coats, Jaquettes, Neckpieces at a Discount of

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Beaver, fish, fox, squirrel and other furs enhance the beauty of the fabrics in these lovely Coats; choice is varied and the sizes are 14 to 44.

Dresses

Orig. \$45 to \$59.75

\$34

Many of these chic silk and wool Frocks are from our Costume Salon—some are elegantly plain, others trimmed in very charming ways; sizes 14 to 44.

Coats, Frocks and Wraps

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Distinctive Coats, Wraps and Frocks, developed of the season's most beautiful fabrics, many being luxuriously trimmed with elegant furs. An unusual group.

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Plain and Fancy Cotton Wear at Extreme Savings

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Practical cotton Crepe Gowns with round neck and shirtings; white garments with colored bindings or colored ones with bindings of contrasting shades; sizes 15, 16 and 17.

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\$1.50 to \$1.95 Values

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\$2.95 Value at

\$1.87

Princess Slips of English Satinay in white, peach and flesh—all with lace-trimmed tops; sizes 36 to 44 in the group.

Cotton Wear

\$2.25 to \$2.95 Values

\$1.83

Sample envelope Chemises and Gowns of muslin or batiste; also real lace-trimmed, hand-embroidered and Ami-French scalloped gowns and chemises. A group that offers wide choice.

Extra-Size Slips

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English cotton Satinay Princess Slips, in white only; made with attractive lace-trimmed tops; sizes 46 to 52 in lot.

Extra-Size Gowns

\$1.25 & \$1.50 Values

89c

Sleeveless and cap sleeved Gowns of muslin, with colored embroidery or stitching or with embroidered edgings; all in large sizes.

Semi-Made Gowns

\$1.95 Value at

\$1.39

Porto Rican, hand-embroidered Gowns; all ready to hem and seam; in white and pastel shades, with square or V-necks.

Housewives May Continue to Profit by Our Annual

## January Sale of Linens

Featuring the Following and Many Other Groups—Third Floor

\$3.95 Damask Sets

Breakfast Sets of bleached damask with blue, pink or gold borders; 62x36-inch cloth with 6 napkins.

\$2.85

Toweling

"Barnesley" all-linen Toweling in three groups: 25c value; yard.....18c 25c value; yard.....22c 35c value; yard.....29c

59c Towels

Towels of imported pure linen huck of durable quality; 18x24-inch size; neatly made; each.....37c

79c Bath Towels

—with Jacquard borders in blue, pink, gold or orchid; excellent size, and full bleached; each.....55c

Pattern Tablecloths

—Imported from Ireland, and of pure linen damask; termed "rejects" because of stains or dropped threads;

\$5.95 val., 70x70 in. \$2.97 \$7.45 val., 70x88 in. \$3.72 \$8.95 val., 70x106 in. \$4.47 \$6.95 val., 70x70 in. \$3.47 \$8.45 val., 70x88 in. \$4.23 \$9.95 val., 70x106 in. \$4.97 \$7.95 val., 72x72 in. \$3.97 \$9.45 val., 72x90 in. \$4.73 \$10.95 val., 72x108 in. \$5.47 \$11.95 val., 72x72 in. \$5.97 \$14.95 val., 72x90 in. \$7.47 \$17.95 val., 72x108 in. \$8.97

\$2.25 Damask

Pure-linen Table Damask of unbleached, long-wearing quality; will bleach in a few tubbings; 70 in.; yd....

\$1.35

\$15 Lunch Cloths Madeira linen, hand-embroidered and finished with handmade rose point scalloping; 53x79 in.; each.....

\$9.75

\$15.95 Bed Sets

"Bally Wistler" Sets of lustrous fiber, in striped effects; 90x108-in. Spread; scalloped cut corners, set

\$12.45

Cloths and Napkins Imported, all-linen, silver-bleached damask;

\$4.95 value, 68x88 in. \$2.94 \$5.95 value, 68x90 in. \$3.94 \$6.95 value, 68x108 in. \$4.94 \$8.95 val., 68x20 in. doz. \$2.94 \$5.95 val., 22x22 in. doz. \$3.95

\$5 Linen Napkins

Offered, the Dozen... \$2.99 Full bleached, all-linen Napkins of sturdy, long-wearing quality—the best for everyday use; 21x21-inch size; limit of one dozen to a customer. No mail or phone orders filled.

\$6.45 Napkins

Of splendid quality pure-linen damask, in new and attractive patterns; 14x14-inch size; the dozen.....

\$3.94

\$3.95 Linen Cases

The all-linen kind that wears so remarkably; 45x36-inch size; with hemstitched hems. No mail or phone orders. \$2.95 Pair.....

\$2.95

Bed Sets

\$11.98 Value

\$8.95

Newest type of artificial silk Sets in old rose, Copen and gold stripes; 11x108-inch spread finished with scalloped edges.

\$7.95 Bed Sets

"Martha Washington" Sets in fancy crinkled effect, with colored stripes on ecru ground; Set.....

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\$3.95 Damask

Table Damask of pure Irish linen quality, with lustrous double satin finish; 72-in. wide; yard.....

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## Women's Sports Hosiery

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The splendid "Topsy" and "Dixie" makes of smart, serviceable Hosiery. All are in discontinued styles and there are 1800 pairs in the assortment; plain and clocked effects of all-wool, silk-and-wool and wool-and-cotton. Various popular colorings and sizes 10 to 10 in the lot.

89c

## Wednesday Is "Baby Day"

—When We Offer Very Special Groups of Baby Needs

Infants' Frocks

79c Value at..... 49c

Round neck, nainsook dresses with narrow lace edgings and wide hem; for infants to two years.

\$5.95 Buntings

—of white chinchilla lined with cotton flannel; silk-lined hood and sleeves and trimmed with pink or blue satin binding. At.....

\$3.95

Kapok Pillows

—for infants; covered with pink or blue cotton sateen; 12 x16 inches and sanitary; 79c value, special at 59c

59c



"Ruben" Shirts

\$1.50 Value at..... 95c

Silk-striped, wool-and-cotton, double-breasted shirts, with crocheted stitching; infants to 3 years.

85c Crib Blankets

—in pink or blue with white borders and stitched edges; 30 x40 inches and of a soft, fleeced quality. Special, 59c

49c and 59c Mittens

White wool mittens in thumb or thumbless style; for infants to 2 years. Specially priced at, pair..... 39c

39c

Infants' \$14.95 Bassinets

Imported red bassinets with natural finish and having fancy hoods; mounted on casters—all are floor samples. Special at..... \$6.95

\$6.95

\$3.95 Nursery Chairs

—with ivory finish, tray, counting beads and vases; well-built with high back, offered at..... \$3.49

\$3.49

Another Interesting Sale of Smart

## Novelty Jewelry

Offering \$1.50 to \$3.50 Values at

\$1.00

Jewelry of the kinds that form correct accessories to smart costumes—offered in a very wide assortment, but not many pieces of a kind. Therefore it is advisable to make selections as early as possible. The following pieces are included—all of excellent quality and designed in latest effects:

Artificial Pearl Necklaces  
Hair Ornaments  
Mesh Bags  
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Bead Necklaces  
Earrings  
Bracelets  
Bar Pins  
—and Others

Main Floor



TURNER CASE UP IN  
U. S. SUPREME COURTArguments Heard in Proceeding  
Alleging Counterfeiting of  
French Certificates.By a Staff Correspondent of the  
Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The United States Supreme Court yesterday heard arguments in the case of the Government against Harry Turner and George V. Halliday, both of St. Louis, for alleged counterfeiting of \$1,500,000 French Government obligations in 1922. The case was brought to the Supreme Court on a writ of error filed by District Attorney Curry, which asserted that Judge Paris of the Eastern Missouri Federal Court erred when he sustained the demurrer against the indictment of Turner and Halliday on the grounds that the certificates alleged to have been counterfeited were obligations between J. P. Morgan & Co., underwriters for a \$100,000,000 gold bond issue which was floated in this country in 1922, and the individual subscribers.

The Department of Justice, represented yesterday by Assistant Attorney General William H. Donovan, contended these certificates were obligations between the French Government and the subscribers, and that therefore Turner and Halliday should be tried under Section 156 of the penal code, A. S. Bender of St. Louis, counsel for the defendants, maintained that the obligations were between the Morgan Co. and the subscribers.

Should the Supreme Court hold that the certificates were obligations between the French Government and the subscribers, the Department of Justice could bring Halliday and Turner to trial in a Federal Court. If the court holds that the obligation existed between the Morgan Co. and the subscribers, the Department of Justice would be forced to drop this case. In State trials, Turner was acquitted in Judge Grimm's court but in Judge Falkenhalmers' court, Halliday was convicted of third degree forgery and sentenced to five years imprisonment. Halliday is now out on bond pending an appeal.

## RUM SHIP SEIZURE OFF

## FARRALONS HELD LEGAL

Federal Judge Decides Capture  
Was Within U. S. Territorial  
Waters.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 6.—Seizure of the British steamer Quadra, with its reputed cargo of liquor valued at \$500,000, by the coast guard cutter Shawnee, off San Francisco, recently, was legal in every way and the crew of the Quadra "violated the laws of the United States," District Judge John E. Partridge has decided.

Seizure of the craft has raised a question as to the application of treaties, which Judge Partridge was called upon to answer. He said yesterday he could find no evidence of treaty violation by the coast guard, that the Quadra was legally seized a prize, and that the matter was within the jurisdiction of his court.

The case has brought up the question of the ownership of the Farrallon Islands, situated about 30 miles off San Francisco harbor and treaty agreements between the United States and Great Britain and the United States and Canada. The Quadra was taken while lying off the Farrallons. It is contended by the defendants that this was outside the territorial waters of the United States.

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PINE-TAR-HONEY  
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## Men's Cape Gloves

Priced,  
the Pair... \$1.95

☐ Tan, black and gray Cape Gloves, lined and interlined. All sizes in the assortment.  
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☐ Silk Half-Hose in semi-fashioned or seamless styles. Reinforced feet. The season's best colors.  
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Our January Sales Feature the Entire Surplus Stock of

## "BRENTWORTH" CLOTHES

\$45, \$50, \$55 and \$60 Suits and Overcoats

Offering You Unrestricted Choice of Vast Assortments at

\$36

☐ To appreciate the magnitude of this sale it is necessary to see the assortments. We offer the maker's entire surplus stock of finest wools, tailored into correct Suits and Overcoats under our supervision. They are smart—serviceable—good looking... And they are offered at savings which set a new record in value-giving! Purchased at a price far below the normal cost of production, they are presented now at a figure much below the regular price of high quality apparel! They are real values—which invite your immediate inspection.

## Two-Trouser Suits

Styled on both English and conservative lines, these Suits present a colorful range of cassimeres, chevots, worsteds and serges. Each Suit is faultlessly tailored—and correctly finished. All sizes for regular, stout, slim and stub.

## The Overcoats

English style boxcoats, in single or double-breasted style, are made of fancy-back coatings in many colors. Ulsters and ulsterettes—of another renowned make—are offered in brown, blue, gray and tan fancy-back chinchillas. There are all sizes for men and young men.

Second Floor



Special! Odd Lot of

## Footwear

\$8 to \$12  
Kinds... \$6.95

Colonials, Oxfords and Straps from our own stocks; various leathers and military, Cuban and Louis heels. Sizes broken.  
Second Floor

Cheval Picture  
Frames

\$3.50 to \$4.50 Values

\$2.75

Oblong, oval and upright Frames in gold and silver antique finish—worthy of surrounding your cherished gift photographs! There is a variety of sizes and styles.

Larger Frames, \$5 to \$3.95

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White Imported China

## Cups and Saucers

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☐ These attractive, graceful Cups and Saucers are made of white German china, highly glazed. They are modeled in extremely simple shapes—ideal for general use. Limited number. No telephone, mail or C. O. D. orders.

## \$35 Dinner Sets

100-piece Dinner Sets, made of English semi-porcelain ware in the blue willow pattern. Graceful English shapes. Set... \$16.95  
Fifth Floor

As An Aftermath to the Holidays Comes This

## Damaged Book Sale

—Offering Old or Slightly Worn Books at Savings of

1/3 to 1/2

☐ The several hundred volumes offered either were slightly damaged in our holiday rush or have outlived their welcome here. They are arranged on special tables for easy selection—and range from children's stories to works for the sedate scholar.

Included are: Fiction, biography, travel, history, inspirational books and the classics.  
Book Shop—Sixth Floor

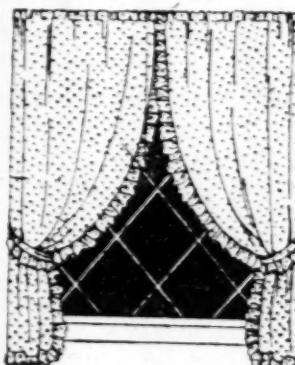
For Bedroom Windows—Fresh, Crisp, New

## Ruffled Curtains

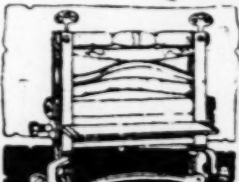
In a Variety of Light, Airy Materials

Special,  
the Pair... \$1.85

☐ Such fluffy daintiness would add charm to any bedroom or nursery. Made of striped dimity and rose and blue figured grenadine. These Curtains have full ruffles with ruffled tie-backs to match. An exceptional group from which to choose.  
Fifth Floor



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## Clothes Wringers

\$7.50 Value, Wednesday... \$5.35

☐ Clothes Wringers with a strong wooden frame and warranted rubber rolls; easy running, and of the size most in demand.

\$6.50 Clothes Hampers, large... \$5  
\$4.50 Clothes Hampers, medium... \$3.50  
\$3.25 Clothes Hampers, small... \$2.49  
95c Wash Tube, large... 67c  
25c Clothes Press, 8-ft.; each... 15c  
\$1.25 Laundry Drying Rack... \$1  
50c "Universal" Wash Boards... 60c

## \$6.25 Wash Boilers

Extra heavy all-copper Boilers with stationary wooden handles and tin covers. No. 8 size... \$4.79

## Laundry Soap

Crystal White Laundry Soap; no phone or mail orders filled; only 10¢ for 37c bars to a customer... Basement Gallery

Floor Demonstrator and Sample Machines in This

## Sale of Electric Washers

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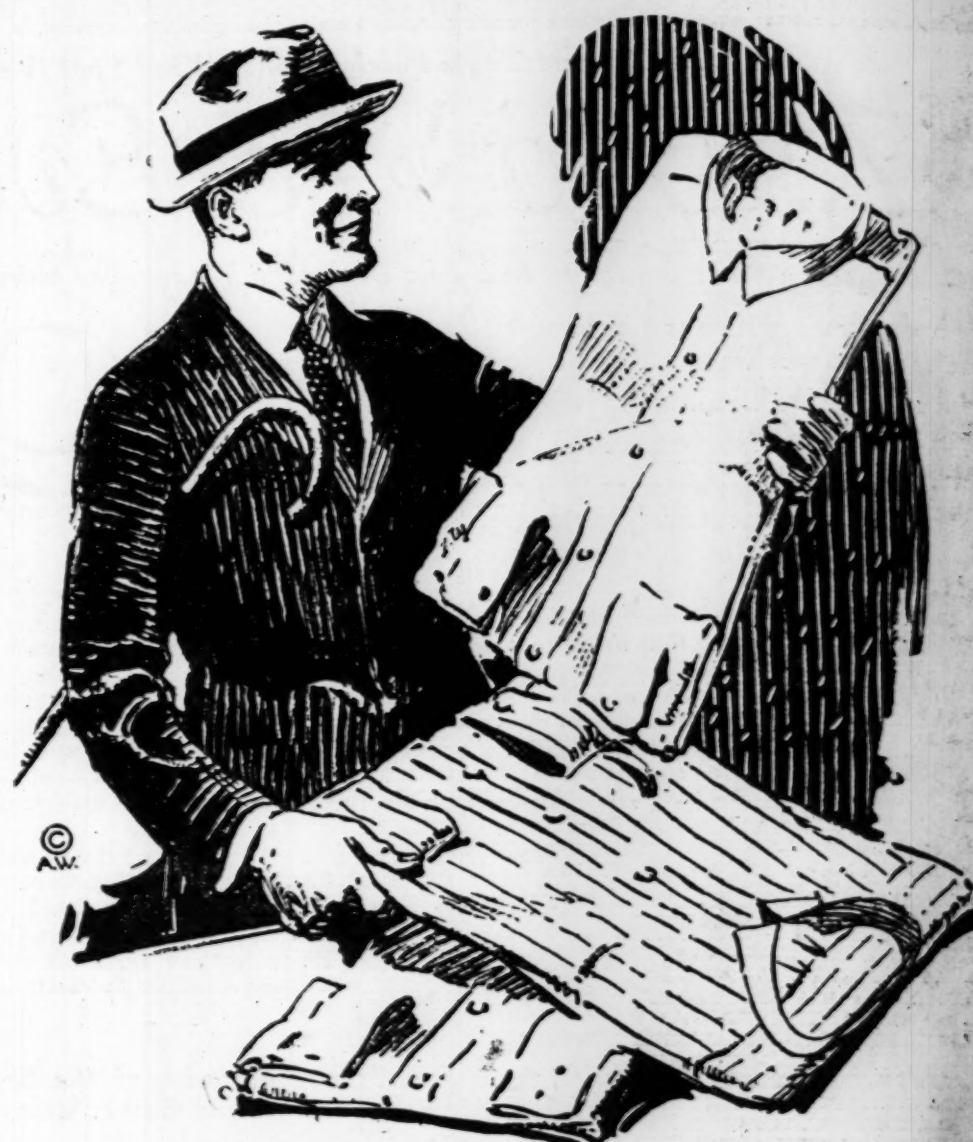
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☐ BlueBird, Trojan, Master and Almetal Washing Machines are included in this offering—and their names, of country-wide renown, will reveal to housewives the splendid profit that this sale brings. All are mechanically perfect, and bear our usual one-year guarantee.

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Manhattan Shirts represent the standard of quality, the patterns are exclusive, they are generously and accurately cut—and are finished with extreme care. There are all sizes—but not in each style—be here early Wednesday morning.  
Main Floor

Freshen Your Necktie Supply From This Sale of

## "Gropper Knit" Neckwear

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\$2.50 Value,  
Special at... \$1.65

☐ All of our "Gropper Knit" Neckwear is included in this offering—which means that you have choice of a vast assortment. There are single-stripes, double-stripes, combination-stripes, figures, dots and scrolls—attractively colored in blue, tan, brown, gray and all the other colors most popular among men.



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## SPEEDY LEGISLATION BY HOUSE ON DIVERSION OF WATER AT CHICAGO URGED

Congressman Hull Says Congress Should Pass  
Compromise Measure Regarding Canal,  
Following Decision of Supreme Court.

Post-Dispatch Bureau,  
20-22 Wyatt Building.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Notwithstanding the drastic language of the United States Supreme Court yesterday in affirming the decree enjoining the sanitary district of Chicago from diverting more than 4167 cubic feet of water a second from Lake Michigan into the Mississippi River, several plans are now under consideration by the "river bloc" in Congress for diversion of enough water to meet the demands of Chicago for sewage disposal and the waterways transportation agencies for a navigable channel from the Great Lakes to the Gulf.

Time is the great factor the sanitary district interests and the waterways proponents are up against. The injunction is effective within 60 days, and at the end of that time, unless some solution is found, the sanitary district must cease diverting the 9,000 cubic feet of water a second and divert less than 4167 cubic feet.

The sanitary district experts declare that if only the smaller amount can be diverted, the health of Chicagoans will be seriously menaced.

Shortly after the decision of the Supreme Court became known, Representative William E. Hull (Rep.) of Illinois, issued a statement which said, in part: "This decision makes it necessary for Congress to act very soon on legislation affecting the diversion at Chicago and the whole Illinois River project—it will not have any ultimate effect on the building of a deep waterway from the lakes to the Gulf. The deep waterway was not a part of the controversy before the court for settlement. Congress is now called upon to pass compromise legislation affecting the diversion at Chicago which will be agreeable to all parties who appeared in the suit before the Supreme Court. The bill known as the Hull bill, which seeks to establish a deep waterway through the Illinois and incidentally to take care of the sewage situation in Chicago and which has been held in abeyance pending this decision, is now in a position to go before the House."

Controversy Over Bill.  
The Hull bill is in a position to go before the House, as Hull obtained a promise from the rivers and Harbors Committee that the committee would report the bill whenever he desired. But a great deal of controversy has raged over this bill. Hearings were held on it last session, and for days delegations from the lake states and from certain districts of Illinois argued against it, only to be outvoted, if not outargued, by delegations from Chicago and the states bordering the Mississippi River.

That opinion on the Hull bill is not unanimous is evidenced by the fact that last yesterday afternoon the Illinois congressional delegation refused to support it as a whole and passed an innocuous resolution authorizing Representative Martin B. Madden to call a meeting of the delegation whenever he wished.

Opposition to the Hull bill is virtually the same as that which caused the injunction suit—the Lake State delegations that are afraid of lowering the water level of Lake Michigan by so much water, and residents of Illinois who do not want the sewage of Chicago flowing through their territory.

The Illinois delegation at their meeting could not agree that representations should be made at once for a temporary license from the Secretary of War permitting a greater flow than 4167 cubic feet a second.

Such a license is permissible under the Supreme Court's injunction, as the decree stated that the injunction was affirmed "without prejudice to any permit that may be issued by the Secretary of War according to law."

Several Alternatives.  
According to the river experts several alternatives are allowed under the injunction. First a temporary permit can be secured from the Secretary of War as noted. This raises a question as to how much water can be diverted. The Supreme Court held that in 1913 Secretary Burton was right in rejecting the application for permission to divert 10,000 cubic feet a second.

McCormick's Plan.  
Senator McCormick (Rep.) of Illinois has another plan which may bear fruit. Thursday he will call together his special Senate Committee on the Lakes to the Gulf Waterways. As yet, he and Representative Hull have not conferred on a compromise bill. Last session the House Rivers and Harbors Committee refused to co-operate with the McCormick committee on the ground that it did not intend to delegate its powers to a joint committee. The McCormick committee has inspected the lake-to-the-gulf route, and held hearings in Chicago regarding the sanitary district. Heretofore this committee has been looked upon as impotent.

Now, however, with time a great factor since adjournment of Congress is less than two months off, this committee may prepare a compromise bill with the House as proposed by Hull, and effective legislation may result. But that is the hope of the "river bloc" rather than an expectation.

Meeting Called for Next Saturday  
to Consider Emergency.  
CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Energetic measures will be taken to protect the Chicago area from an increase in disease which is expected to result from the reduction of the flow of Lake Michigan water into the Chicago drainage canal.

These steps will be outlined at an emergency meeting called for next Saturday. Mayor Dever, Aldermen and public officials of the city are expected to attend. The sanitary district, as well as commercial, industrial and civic leaders will attend.

Upon learning of the Supreme Court decision which upheld an injunction granted by the government by the United States Court here, sanitary trustees and Maj. Rufus W. Putnam, regional army engineer, took into consideration the suggestion that the district apply to the Secretary of War for a permit to continue the present flow until steps had been taken to dispose of Chicago's sewage in another manner than by the present means of diluting it in Lake Michigan water and sending it down the Illinois and Mississippi Rivers.

A move to ask Congress to enact a law making the present flow of 10,000 cubic feet of water per second legal was started. Engineers have been working for several years on plans to handle the sewage by a sludge method. By such a system the waste matter would be chemically treated before being emptied into the drainage canal. The system would cost upward of \$100,000,000 and could not be placed into operation before 1945, the engineers have said.

The Illinois delegation at their

## REICH THREATENS REPRISALS FOR NOTE ON COLOGNE

Allied Refusal to Evacuate  
Means End of London  
Treaty, Minister of In-  
terior Jarres Says.

### WOULD SCRAP TRADE PACT WITH FRANCE

Foreign Office to Reply in  
Detail to Allied Accusa-  
tions When Control Com-  
mission Reports.

By SAMUEL SPEWACK,  
Berlin Correspondent of the Post-  
Dispatch and the New York World.

BERLIN, Jan. 6.—Lord D'Abernon, British Ambassador to Germany, late yesterday deposited with the Foreign Office official notification of the allied refusal to evacuate Cologne Jan. 10, the date set in the peace treaty, because of German violations of that treaty.

The Reich immediately announced its intention of fighting back. Like an angry cat, she is striking blindly. The first movement of her paw ripped through the draft of a trade treaty with France. Then the cat began to snarl and proclaimed that in self-defense Germany must form a reactionary government.

Official confirmation of this retaliation was given the New York World and Post-Dispatch correspondent by Minister of the Interior Jarres and Count Westphal, leader of the German Nationalists. They gave it without the bouquets the Foreign Office usually attaches to its complaints.

End of London Treaty.  
This means the end of the London treaty and the policy of fulfillment Jarres declared. "My party (the Industrial People's party, headed by Foreign Minister Stresemann) will not permit ratification of the provisional trade treaty with France under these circumstances."

"The Marx-Stresemann policy bears bitter fruit. We must try and get out of this dead end. No treaty can be carried out in the spirit and letter, but must be fulfilled in a spirit of loyalty, which Germany did and the allies did not."

Count Westphal officially announced that thanks to the allied tactics, he has succeeded in winning to his side a group of smaller parties which includes the peasants' bloc, the Economic League, most of the extreme right, the Bavarian People's party. With their aid, he says, he is in a position to overthrow any government Chancellor Marx can construct.

Monarchists to Benefit.  
Marx was cabled the New York World and Post-Dispatch a week ago, is trying to form a ministry without party color, but it is doubtful if he will succeed before Friday. At best it would be a temporary expedient.

Just how long Germany will fight it is difficult to predict. She cannot fight too long, and eventually must make a commercial treaty with France. She cannot afford to tear up the London agreement, which put the Dawes plan into effect. If the allies press an ultimatum, someone here will be found to sign it. But the ultimatum will be of short duration and its only effect will be to strengthen the hands of monarchists of the Western type.

Changes in Allied Note.  
The allied note makes the following five changes: First, the German General Staff has been re-established; second, that volunteers were enlisted in the Reichswehr for short terms of service, thus swelling the country's potential military strength; third, that munition factories are not on a peace-time basis; fourth, that arms and war materials in excess of the legal limits were found by the Control Commission; fifth, that the Green Police have not been reorganized as Germany promised.

Continued occupation of the Cologne area, the Germans declare, is unjustified. The Foreign Office will reply in detail to the allied accusations when the report of the Control Commission, in which they are made, is published. This is expected shortly.

### Berlin Press Unites in Attack on Allied Note.

By the Associated Press.  
BERLIN, Jan. 6.—Berlin newspapers today devote articles to discussion of the allied note, handed to the German government yesterday, which is described as weak in argument and as failing to justify prolongation of the occupation of the Cologne bridgehead.

German Catholic organs, which voice the views of Chancellor Marx, says the note is one of the weakest documents Germany ever received, and also one of the most regrettable, for the reason that it

## Adventures of the Round-the-World Flyers STOW AWAY 'HOOKED A RIDE' 2000 MILES ACROSS INDIA

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By LOWELL THOMAS,  
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UPON the departure from Calcutta the strangest episode of the entire flight around the globe occurred. The stowaway actually crawled on board one of the American world cruisers and flew for 2000 miles, all the way across India from Calcutta to Karachi.

Not was this stowaway a tiger, a monkey or hooded cobra that could easily hide in the plane. He was a full-grown man, and his presence was not discovered until the end of the first day's flight, after he had flown over 500 miles.

But so impressed were the flyers with the nerve of their stowaway that they put him to work refueling the planes and then carried him along until they reached the shores of the Arabian Sea.

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Automobiles and the most primitive means of transportation are jammed together in India, the United States world flyers getting a quick idea of actual conditions in this strange country as they winged their way around the globe.

their maximum load of gas and oil. So on the morning of July 1, when the boys were warming up their motors, and while thousands of people were crowding around looking over the planes before their departure from Calcutta, Wells, with no impediments other than the clothes he wore, slipped into the baggage and tool compartment behind the rear cockpit in the fuselage of the Boston and a few minutes later the three giant planes were roaring across the Maidan, circled over the Victoria memorial, the Bengal Club, and the Octagon monument, took a final look at the City of Palaces, and headed toward Central India.

The stowaway had plenty of room to stretch out inside the fuselage, but in order not to miss the night he opened the trap door on the port side, stuck his head out a few inches and watched the jute mills of Calcutta and the villages of Bengal slip by.

Fly Over Historic Ground.  
For an hour they flew north along the Hooghly, and then turned west. From then on Commander Smith kept above the East Indian railway and let the way across the plains of the British Indian states of Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, and the United Provinces to the city of Allahabad, near the junction of the sacred Ganges and the Jumna Rivers.

Shortly after leaving the Hooghly they flew over the village of Shantinetan, where India's most illustrious son, Rabindranath Tagore, the poet and philosopher of Bengal, conducts his celebrated school and sits under the banyan trees telling the youth of Hindustan about the literature and civilization of the West.

The region over which the world flyers passed on this stage of the flight is one of the most densely populated and one of the richest agriculturally, as well as one of the most historical parts of the earth. Four hundred people to the square mile is the average all through here. Over cocoanut and banana groves, clumps of tall bamboo, and endless fields of grain they sped. On they flew over the plain near where Clive, the miracle man, with an army of 3000, defeated the 60,000 followers of the Moguls at Plassey in one of the 10 decisive battles of all time.

Ganges a Thrilling Sight.  
Dodging in and out of showers and racing just ahead of the rapidly approaching annual monsoon storms, they plunged out of a cloud and saw, far ahead, a great bend in the Ganges, with a populous city extending for miles along the farther bank. From their maps they knew this to be Benares, and the realization of it sent a thrill through every one—a thrill that even had its echo along the spine of the stowaway crouching in the tool compartment behind "Hank" Ogden's cockpit. For they knew that they were looking down from the sky on one of the oldest and one of the holiest cities on earth, a city that was old and sacred hundreds of years before the birth of Christ.

Dropping down a little lower, in order to get a better view, they saw the great bathing ghats where more embittered exchanges of notes. The Tagabhai thinks the German people will voluntarily accept "this monstrous attempt to place a population of over 2,000,000 people under foreign domination for an indefinite period on a flimsy pretext."

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## MUSSOLINI ACTS ON PROMISE TO 'CLEAR UP ITALY'

All - Fascisti Cabinet Is  
Formed After Last Two  
Liberals Resign From  
Ministry.

### NEW MEMBERS ARE WELL RECEIVED

Salandra Quits as Repre-  
sentative in League; Mi-  
litta and Police Vigilance  
Increased.

By the Associated Press.  
ROME, Jan. 6.—Premier Musso-  
lini today has a Cabinet composed  
entirely of Fascisti, with the excep-  
tion of Cesare Nava, Minister of  
National Economy, who belongs to  
that section of the Popular party  
remaining staunchly faithful to  
Mussolini and to fascism.

Alfredo Rocco, the Minister of Justice; Professor Fidele, the Minister of Instruction, and Giovanni Giurati, Minister of Public Works, all of whom were appointed by the King yesterday to fill posts made vacant by resignations, were receiving the congratulations of their friends and colleagues today.

Minister Rocco was welcomed by Fascisti throughout the country, who have admired his tact and energy as president of the Chamber of Deputies.

The selection of Professor Fidele was also well received, as it is believed he will be a most acceptable Minister of Instruction owing to his long training as a university instructor.

Both Signor Nava and Paolo Mattioli, under-secretary of justice, offered their resignations. It is learned, but their friends induced them to remain in the Cabinet.

Within 48 Hours.  
The expiration of the 48 hours in which Mussolini promised the Chamber that the political situation would be cleared up produced many important results.

1. All the members of the Cabinet had placed their portfolios at Mussolini's disposal to let him free to reconstruct his Cabinet unhampered.

2. The Ministers of Education and Public Works, Signor Casati and Signor Saracchelli, the only two remaining Liberal members of the Cabinet, had resigned.

3. Signor Salandra had presented his resignation as Italy's representative in the League of Nations. Reinforcements of police and militia had been ordered out to protect the railway lines from threatened sabotage and police vigilance had been increased, lest any disturbance, thus assuring peace, if not tranquility.

6. Continuance by the authorities of the seizure of copies of opposition newspapers.

Signs of Clearing.  
If, therefore, the situation has not been completely cleared up as Mussolini promised, there are at least definite signs of clearing. The Aventine opposition, comprising about 150 Deputies who have refused to attend the proceedings in the Chamber since the Matteotti murder, is still in evidence, although some of those who listen to Mussolini's declarations before Parliament evidently interpreted his words as dissolution of this opposition group within the stated period.

There are reports in circulation, however, that the Aventine Deputies have under consideration the voluntary breaking up of the faction so as to allow the opposition groups to resume liberty of action. This probably will mean a resumption of their seats in the Chamber by most of these Deputies, though nothing is definitely known as to what the next move of this organization will be.

It is considered possible that the Aventine opposition may remain inactive for some time, chiefly because so long as the plan of seizing the opposition papers continues they would be at the disadvantage of not having a press to champion their cause.

Lloyd George Says Freedom in Italy Is Completely Suppressed.  
By the Associated Press.  
LONDON, Jan. 6.—David Lloyd George told an audience here last night that Liberalism was the sole hope of Italian Democracy. Freedom in that country, he said, has been completely suppressed. Suppression, arson, confiscation and murder, he continued, have become the instruments of government, and "there has been nothing like it in Italy since the atrocious rule of King Bomba."

H. A. Garfield at Geneva.  
GENEVA, Jan. 6.—President Harry A. Garfield of Williams College, Williamstown, Mass., arrived in Geneva today. His visit is for the purpose of obtaining speakers for the Institute of Government, conducted at Williams College each summer.

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JOSEPH PULITZER.

April 10, 1907.

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

## The Crime Problem.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

In a recent Globe-Democrat appeared an article on "The Record of Crime" in which the editor asked the question: "What are we going to do about it?" Are we to let it go on and continue to pay the advancing price in life and property, or are we to take steps to check and reduce it? After some discussion, the "speedy justice" he comes to the following conclusions: "We need a thorough and systematic overhauling of our system of criminal law, and the people of Missouri should insist upon it until it is done."

Such suggestion of appealing to unorganized masses for redress rarely leads to results; besides, would it not be better to determine, first, the cause, why the United States presents such a flourishing ground for crime?

From articles on the Sunday editorial page of the Post-Dispatch one realizes that many people in different walks of life and business have given serious thoughts to the same questions and problems. From Mr. G. W. Wickham's letter, two sentences stand out, viz: "It is not a bad nation, after all, despite crime and selfishness," and "I feel enormous confidence in our social and political capacity—in our sound common sense as a people, once an issue is clearly and simply defined and the public is informed."

For these reasons and because millions are involved in each commonwealth, would it not be better for the Governors of all the states to come together, raise a sum of money (through Congress if necessary) and offer prizes for the best suggestions, solutions and most plausible reasons for this condition, especially if the latter would indicate and point the way to overcome this nation-wide menace? The Federal Government also should have a hand in this work.

CITIZEN—X.

## "Earthquake" on Shaw Avenue.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

It is not necessary to leave St. Louis to feel the effect of an earthquake, because on Shaw Avenue you can feel the effect every time a bus goes up or down the street.

Who is going to pay for the repair of the street and for the damages done to property? The People's Motor Bus Co. won't, the city won't, and who will but the property owners? Is this justice to the taxpayers of the city? Indeed it is not.

A PROPERTY OWNER.

## Junior Chamber Ready to Serve.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

At this time, I would like to again emphasize the fact that the St. Louis Junior Chamber is ready to serve the city in any possible way.

Our organization is a civic one. Our Smoke Abatement Committee, Weed Committee, Greater St. Louis Division, Civic Speakers Bureau and others do perform a service to the community.

Through our civic and industrial tours, public speaking and business divisions, Spanish and lawyers, our members are given an opportunity to broaden themselves. Surely the community is benefited by the training of its young men along civic and educational lines.

We are at the service of the people of St. Louis. Please call on us. Sincerely yours,

TED FLEMING,

President for 1923.

## They Fought for Us, Too.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

It is not unusual for some Americans to sneeringly remind France that had it not been for our aid, the Kaiser would have dictated terms of peace in Paris. Admit that it is true. France can just as truly remind us that had it not been for her sacrifice of more than a million of her best manhood we should have been left, after her defeat, to wrestle single-handed with by far the greatest military power the world had ever seen. For the mastery of Europe would have meant the easy mastery of Asia, and Africa and we should have been left to face with an enraged war lord whose empire extended over three-fourths of the earth. Then would have followed a struggle for which history has no parallel. How long it would have lasted, how much it would have cost us in blood and money no one can compute. But this much can be safely asserted: Beside that cost the French debt to us would be no more than pocket change.

If we saved the allies, there is no doubt that their desperate resistance for the first three years saved us sacrifices compared to which our war loans are insignificant. Yes, the allies were also fighting for us and if we canceled every dollar they owed us, we should still be in their debt for the blood of our youth we were not called upon to offer up.

L. R. JOHNSON.

## Child Labor.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

PUBLIC opinion did not alleviate the horrors of black slavery. Neither will it in the sweatshop states halt the degradation of childhood. It needs Federal law with rigid enforcement. Public opinion is in the hands of a few reigning American families. At least, they think so. It is up to the great heart and mind of the masses to set them right.

SIDNEY AVERILL,

Columbia, Ill.

## CHECKING FEDERAL IMPERIALISM.

News that the child-labor amendment will probably be defeated by the states is gratifying, not because we are opposed to the protection of children from exploitation and oppression in industry, but because we do not believe that child labor should be regulated by the Federal Government. We hold that this duty lies within the province of the states.

For the purpose of determining the probable action of the states with regard to the amendment the New York World instituted an inquiry. It questioned the Governors of the states, and supplemented this information with statements from its correspondents and trained political observers in 48 state capitals.

Ratification by 28 states is necessary to the adoption of the amendment. The Legislatures of two states, Georgia and North Carolina, have rejected the amendment, and the voters of Massachusetts, in a referendum, have declared overwhelmingly against it.

Thus far, Arkansas is the only state that has ratified it. The Governors of 12 states which have not yet acted approved the amendment and expressed the belief that their states will reject it. Eleven Governors expressed their disapproval and their opinion that their states will reject it. The replies from others are doubtful, a number of Governors refusing to declare themselves one way or the other. The 11 states in which rejection is indicated, with Georgia, North Carolina and Massachusetts, make one more than the required 13 for rejection.

It is interesting to note that the sentiment adverse to the amendment is not sectional. The states expected to ratify the amendment are Arizona, California, Illinois, Oregon, New Mexico, Nevada, Wisconsin and Wyoming. The 11 states in which rejection is indicated are Alabama, Delaware, Florida, Indiana, Texas, Idaho, Vermont, New Jersey, Maryland, Kentucky, South Carolina.

The movement was originally started in Massachusetts, presumably in order to cut out competition in industry with cheap child labor in the South. But the people of Massachusetts voted against it, and the opposition is strong in other industrial Northern states. The opposition is also strong in the agricultural states, on account of the fear of farmers that the people of minors on the farms will be prohibited.

Although some of the opposition is found in groups whose interests are threatened, yet it is gratifying to note that much of it is based on principle. It is founded on sentiment against the centralizing of power in Washington and on the opinion that the regulation of child labor is properly a state and not a Federal function.

This is the ground of our opposition to the amendment. The ratification of the amendment would be another long step in the direction of Federal centralization of power. It would result in the creation of another potent and costly bureau, the activities of which, directed from Washington, would extend to all the states. Federal inspection in all industries would be established, with all the cost and all the evils experience has shown flow from Federal bureaucracy.

The rejection of the amendment would check the growth of Federal bureaucracy and would discourage the tendency to go to the Federal Government for remedies for all evils, real or imaginary. It would tend to restore the power and function of the states to regulate their own affairs.

What will the Missouri Legislature do with regard to the amendment? We feel assured that a majority of the people of this State are opposed to Federal centralization and to Federal interference with their activities. Missouri now has an excellent child-labor law and does not require Federal inspection.

## A TRAFFIC COURT IMPERATIVE.

Organized sentiment, both on the public side and on the motor side, is now agreed on the desirability of an exclusive traffic court in St. Louis to try all traffic cases. The Safety Council and the Automobile Club of Missouri both favor a bill to be introduced in the Legislature providing for such a court to be presided over by a new traffic judge.

Only by this method can there be hope of even tolerable enforcement of the traffic laws. Responsibility for traffic justice would be centered. "Fronting" in court and perfunctory consideration of cases would be discouraged and ought to be completely abolished. Best of all, an exact check and card index record could be kept of every offender. The next step would be to deprive repeating violators of

the traffic laws of their license to drive. Only a few days ago an offender was arrested, according to police records, for the nineteenth time. Should such a driver be permitted to range the streets, exercising the power of life and death?

Public sentiment in St. Louis is mindful of the death record of 187 in traffic accidents for 1922. Can the Legislature be so unresponsive to public will as to neglect to provide a traffic court for St. Louis?

## A PRECIOUS PREFACE IS EXCAVATED.

If or when somebody compiles a new anthology of prefaces, for which is suggested here the tinkling title, "Precious Prefaces," he should not overlook a peculiarly precious preface to which our attention is directed by a St. Louisian whose happy hobby is the acquisition of dusty, musty and sometimes crusty old books. Punctuation preserved, the prefatory statement bears this caption: "Preface, to the Epistles, Odes, and Other Poems, of Thomas Moore, Esq." The book, "second edition, from the first of 1807," was published in 1816 by David Longworth, at the Dramatic Repository, Shakespeare-Gallery, New York. The Irish poet tells us that "the principal poems in the following collection" were written during a visit of 14 months to the United States of America. He visited Washington and other Eastern points. We can quote but briefly here:

The rude familiarity of the lower orders, and indeed the unpollished state of society in general, would neither surprise nor disgust, if they seemed to flow from that simplicity of character, that honest ignorance, of the gloss of refinement, which may be looked for in a new and inexperienced people. But, when we find them arrived at maturity in most of the vices, and all the pride of civilization, while they are still so remote from its elegant characteristics, it is impossible not to feel that this youthful decay, this crude anticipation of the natural period of corruption, represses every sanguine hope of the future energy and greatness of America.

If the late Mr. Moore could but revisit this barbarous land now, a century and a quarter later, it is conceivable that he might, just possibly, write differently after climbing the Washington Monument or the Woolworth Tower and surveying the altered aspect of things visible to the naked eye. Some "future energy and greatness" surely must have burst through the repressions of every sanguine hope!

Yet, after all, the Tom Moore of the opening nineteenth century was something of a prophet, even when inditing his darkest indictment against the raw America he found then, for in an "Epistle" written at Washington we discover these lines:

Already in this free, this virtuous State, Which, Frenchmen tell us, was ordain'd by fate To shew the world that high perfection springs

From rabble Senators and merchant kings—  
Even here already patriots learn to steal  
Their private perquisites from public wealth,  
And, guardians of the country's sacred fire,  
Like Africa's priests, they let the flame for hire!

Did the disgusted bard, whose epistle, by the way, was addressed to "Lord Viscount Forbes," dimly suspect that in 1924 his lines might be applied to our own Forbes, or to our own and only fallen Fall, to name but two of our modern patriots who "learned to steal their private perquisites from public wealth"? In any event, his lines carry an uncanny inwardness of past application.

## MORE PRISON CRUELTY.

The conditions described in the Colorado State Penitentiary and the Osborne report are a disgrace to the State. We are, without a doubt, in a transition period as regards our penal philosophy, with many perplexities as a result of the clash of ancient ideas with modern ideas. But this much we seem to have agreed on: all penal systems should aim to leave the convict at least as good a man physically and morally after he leaves the penitentiary as when he went into it. Beating him, making him drag a ball and chain around, denying him medical attention, shutting him up in a dark cell on bread and water, are hardly calculated to improve him. Rather, they tend to make a physical and spiritual wreck out of him—useless to himself and a burden and menace to the rest of society.

Gov. Sweet will do well if, having brought about an investigation, he goes the whole distance and cleans up the wretched mess that is revealed.

## "HAVE AT THREE, VARLET!"

(From the New York World.)



"IT'S ALL RIGHT—I'M AN OFFICIAL."

## JUST A MINUTE

Written for the Post-Dispatch.

By CLARK McADAMS

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## BALLADE OF SEIGNEURS OF YORE.

(Villon.)

Pray, where may the blessed Apostles be,  
Each vested with alb, hooded in amice,  
And cinctured with the stole holy;  
Who by the neck lay to release  
All whom the fiend's power did possess?  
As sons and servants pass, so they:  
A blast away their breath carries—  
The wind doth bear so much away.

Where's he of Constantine's city,  
The emperor of the golden hand?  
Where that King of France most princely,  
Who o'er all other Kings doth stand?  
Who, for God's worship, in his land  
Churches and convents build'd, ay?  
If he, in his slum, did praise command,  
The wind doth bear so much away.

The sages, dauphins of Vienne  
And Grenoble, the stout knights bold?  
The aires and sons of Dijon, then,  
Salim and Dolles, do not all lie cold?  
And where are their many people told,  
Heralds, trumpeters, pursuivants, pray?  
When their lips are not the mould?  
The wind doth bear so much away.

Princes to death are all destin'd  
With all who see the light of day;  
Though they of this are griev'd, chagrined,  
The wind doth bear so much away.

R. H. P.

Sir: Your correspondent's criticism in regard to the boisterous conduct of the modern athlete girl brings to mind a song which was popular some 30 years ago. Possibly it may have been from one of the Gilbert and Sullivan operas which were all the rage then. It is such a captivating little bit that anyone can sing it, even if they had never heard the tune, for it almost sings itself. It goes like this:

It wasn't like that in the olden days,  
In the days beyond recall,  
In the rare old, fair old, golden days,  
It wasn't like that at all.  
Then we all did just what we ought to do,  
Or if not we never told,  
I sigh in vain  
To live again  
In the days of old. O. S.

Sir: A drunken man was found weeping on a corner somewhere in East St. Louis. "What are you crying about?" asked a policeman.

"I saw two lamp posts and leaned against the wrong one," said the d. m. M. S.

Drouth, not frost, causes the leaves to fall in autumn. The sap is stopped causing the leaves to change color and wilt. The wilting, the changing to a brown or yellow or red, is not caused by freezing but by a drying out of the leaf moisture.

A military escort is to be sent with the commission which is to fix the Irak-Turkiah border, lest some over-zealous patriot on one side or the other fix the commission.

Unless the newspapers dig up a better picture of King Alphonso it will not be long until everybody is on the side of Vicente Ibanez.

THE BUSINESS ROOM HITS TULIP, MO. (From Tulip Notes by Monroe County Appeal.)

Loyd Bonney has just bought a fine coon dog for which he paid \$20.

## FEEDING THE BIRDS.

The Audubon Society of Missouri at a meeting held in St. Louis just before Christmas voted that \$50 be given to the Boy Scout organizations for the purpose of buying grain to feed the starving songbirds in the country hereabout, so much were they in danger of extermination when the ice cap descended over wide areas of the State, covering their feeding grounds with an impenetrable mantle.

A recent correspondent of the Post-Dispatch is wrong in his statement that all our songbirds leave us in winter, flying away to warmer climes, and that only the English sparrow remains. Many of our most beautiful birds remain here throughout the winter months and often need the care which the Audubon Society seeks to give them. Among those which remain are the red birds, juncos or snowbirds, chickadees and occasional blue bird, and in the southern parts even robins, while our beautiful quail are always with us and many other exquisite little creatures which we have not named. It is hoped that such knowledge will be widely spread and that the farmers everywhere will in time understand the inestimable value of the birds in destroying the insect life so dangerous to their crops and gardens, and will help in the good work of their preservation.

For their beauty alone, if for nothing else, our feathered friends should be protected, but when it is shown that without them our very food supply is threatened, feeding them in winter will become the common duty of us all.

## THE AUDUBON SOCIETY.

Among the LOWBOARDS. (Madison, Mo. Times.) Speaking about bartering, Wes Embrose and "Uncle Billy" Davis were comparing notes in the Times office last Saturday afternoon. Wes avowed his wife had cut out his hair for 35 years. "Uncle Billy" went him one better, declaring he had never been shaved but twice by a barber and his wife had a few months before he married and the other he had at New London some years ago when he was there attending the celebrated Jester trial as a witness.

Statistics show that in proportion to the number of automobiles driven, fewer pedestrians are being killed. The explanation likely is that pedestrians are slower than they used to be, in accord with the theory of the survival of the fittest.

## DRY DITTIES.

Break, break, break,  
On thy cold gray stones, Oh sea,  
And I would that I dared to utter  
The thoughts that rise in me!

Oh, well for the plutocrat's stock;  
He can shout that my system needs tea!  
Oh, well for the sailor lad  
That he goes more than twelve miles at sea!

And the pocket flask, have come,  
But the stuff would a strong man kill.  
And O, for the touch of a vanished rail,  
And the sound of a clink that is still!

Pour, pour, pour  
To the brim of the cup with tea,  
But the fragrance hot of a drink that is not  
Will never come back to me!

JOS. D. HEADIE.

## DRAMA

"Little Jessie James" Is Yegg of Hearts in Pungent New Musical Comedy.

## THE CAST.

Tommy Tinker.....Jack Kane  
Juliet Pierce.....Alice Wood  
Mrs. Flower.....Katherine Ward  
Geraldine Flower.....Elsie Peck  
Paul Revere.....Roy Parvian  
S. Block.....Sam Collins  
Mrs. Jamieson.....Marie Hunt  
Jesse Jamieson.....Alice Cavanaugh  
William J. Pierce.....Edwin J. Gahl

BY RICHARD L. STOKES.  
DESPITE a slight start many conventional devices and not a few uncouth jokes, one feels and upon the cheek now and then a puff of wind from the continent in "Little Jessie James," a musical comedy on view this week at the Shubert-Jefferson. The foreign touch is the more unexpected in that the theme of Harlan Thompson's libretto is the superior sophistication of Main Street over Broadway.

For instance, a married woman and a young man whom she has never before met find it necessary to hide, the former from a jealous husband and the latter from a bill collector, who happens to be that same husband. They leap simultaneously into a cabinet bed which slides into the wall like a drawer into a desk. Three hours later the husband, unaware of his wife, Miss Dandin, in Moliere's comedy, did not proceed with more ruthless finesse to put her spouse in the wrong than did the bill collector with his convincing him that he, and not she, was to blame, and should beg her pardon with tears and bended knees.

A Footpad of Love.  
The story is about two youthful desperadoes in New York, who earn a living by permitting an Israelite furniture dealer to exhibit his bogus antiques in their apartment. As one of the youths happens to be named Paul Revere, there is always a chair in which the colonial rough-rider sat when he exclaimed "Give me liberty or give me death." Paul is about to marry Geraldine Flower for her money.

As customers of the obstreperous dealer, there enter Mrs. Jamieson and her daughter, Jessie, from Oklahoma, Kan. Because of her downright methods, this open-eyed Kansas girl has been nicknamed "Little Jessie James." Missouri may consider itself slighted in that Kansas is indicated as the habitat of the famous bandit, but anyhow, his namesake proves her prowess as a footpad of love by robbing Geraldine of her fiancé.

Audience Is Amused.

Last night's not too large audience appeared amused by the rapid-fire escapes of Tommy Tinker and his innamorata, Juliet Pierce, and particularly by the morose humors of her bill collector. The latter re-voices in ditty called "The Bluebird," which has some of the beginnings of a real comedy lyric. Both situations and dialogue not infrequently have a pliancy which verges on the salacious.

OUR POLITICAL EVOLUTION.  
NATHANIEL PEPPER in the December Century.

POLITICAL evolution is still far behind the social and economical facts. The farmers and workers lack class consciousness. The intellectuals lack intellectual consciousness. You have no element of writers, scholars and educators comparable to the element of England which has been first the heaven and then the constructive planning body of the Labor party. You have no group of men of that type intellectually convinced of the need of a different kind of society and acting as their conviction.

Your intellectuals—writers, artists, educators and men of the higher professions—have been singularly reckless even for intellectuals. Until a few years ago, they did not count at all. The intellectual has not made himself worthy of respect. He whooped it up for the war without knowing enough of his world to suspect that there might be secret treaties, old diplomatic combinations, traditions and a play of old, old imperialistic ambitions only temporarily suspended.

After the war he either whooped it up for the League of Nations without moderating his views by some knowledge of the renewal of international rivalries behind the cloak of the league or whooped it up against the league, arraying himself by the side of the ultra-chauvinist and ultra-isolationist. Wherein has he shown himself different from those who choose their localities docilely and follow them blindly? If your worker must have class consciousness before there can be a labor party, your intellectual must have sophistication. He must know the generation he lives in. The raw materials are lacking for a labor party. Social conditions in this country are not yet ripe enough for one. It is safe to say there will be none. If we have a new party at all, it will be a liberalism of the old English order. It will be a liberal party replacing the Democrats as the English Labor party is replacing the Liberals.

But since for a generation we have had, for all serious purposes, no parties at all, even a liberal party would mark one stage in advancement.

TRIAL BY "ROMANCE."  
From the Baltimore Evening Sun.

R EPORT comes from Los Angeles, where many juries are made up chiefly of women, that the long deadlock over the verdict in the murder trial of Kid McCoy was caused by the fact that nine of the women jurors insisted on acquitting the former debonaire, much-admired pugilistic champion because of his "romantic life." The "City of Angels" seems to be situated in an atmosphere of exaggerated movie-dom, and possibly among the rime "jurists" were some actual, or prospective, film actresses. But, after all, would it not be rather contrary to the feminine complex to hang a "romantic" caveman merely for his brutality to women? Nor can the men point the finger of scorn and derision. In a recent magazine article many trials of women for the killing of men are cited, and it is shown that those who were handsome and appealing to the masculine eye were always acquitted by male juries, and those who were homely and had black ankles were convicted. The sex solidarity urged by the extreme feminists seems to be an iridescent dream.

MRS. MARGARET C. KELLER  
TO BE BURIED TOMORROW

The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Catherine Keller, 75 years old, widow of Abner Keller, a former Mayor of Edwardsville, who died yesterday afternoon of intestinal trouble, will be held at 3 p. m. tomorrow from her residence in Edwardsville to Woodlawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Keller is survived by three sons, James T. Keller, treasurer of the Post-Dispatch; Harry M. Keller and William Keller, both of Edwardsville, and three daughters, Mrs. Jennie Linn of St. Louis, Mrs. Fannie Vernon of Memphis and Mrs. Mayne Stillwell of Edwardsville. Mrs. Keller had lived in Edwardsville all her life.







# "KELLY-O'CONNELL BASKETBALL INCIDENT CLOSED"—HEYDLE

## Dismissal of O'Connell Saved Players From Embarrassing Situation

Exonerated and Expelled Giants Who Figured in Bribery Scandal, Last Season, Had Signed to Play With Same Frisco Basket Team.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The "prompt action" of Dan Maher, president of the California basketball league, in dropping Jimmy O'Connell, black-listed ball player, from the organization's ranks, has saved George Kelly, Sammy Bohne and three other ball players, from making a "serious blunder," President Heydler of the National League declared today.

President Heydler made this statement in a statement in which he indicated he regarded O'Connell's dismissal as closing the developments which stirred baseball circles yesterday after it had been disclosed that Kelly, first sacker, Giants, and Bohne, Cincinnati infielder, were members of the same San Francisco basketball team as O'Connell, former Cincinnati outfielder, banished for attempted bribery.

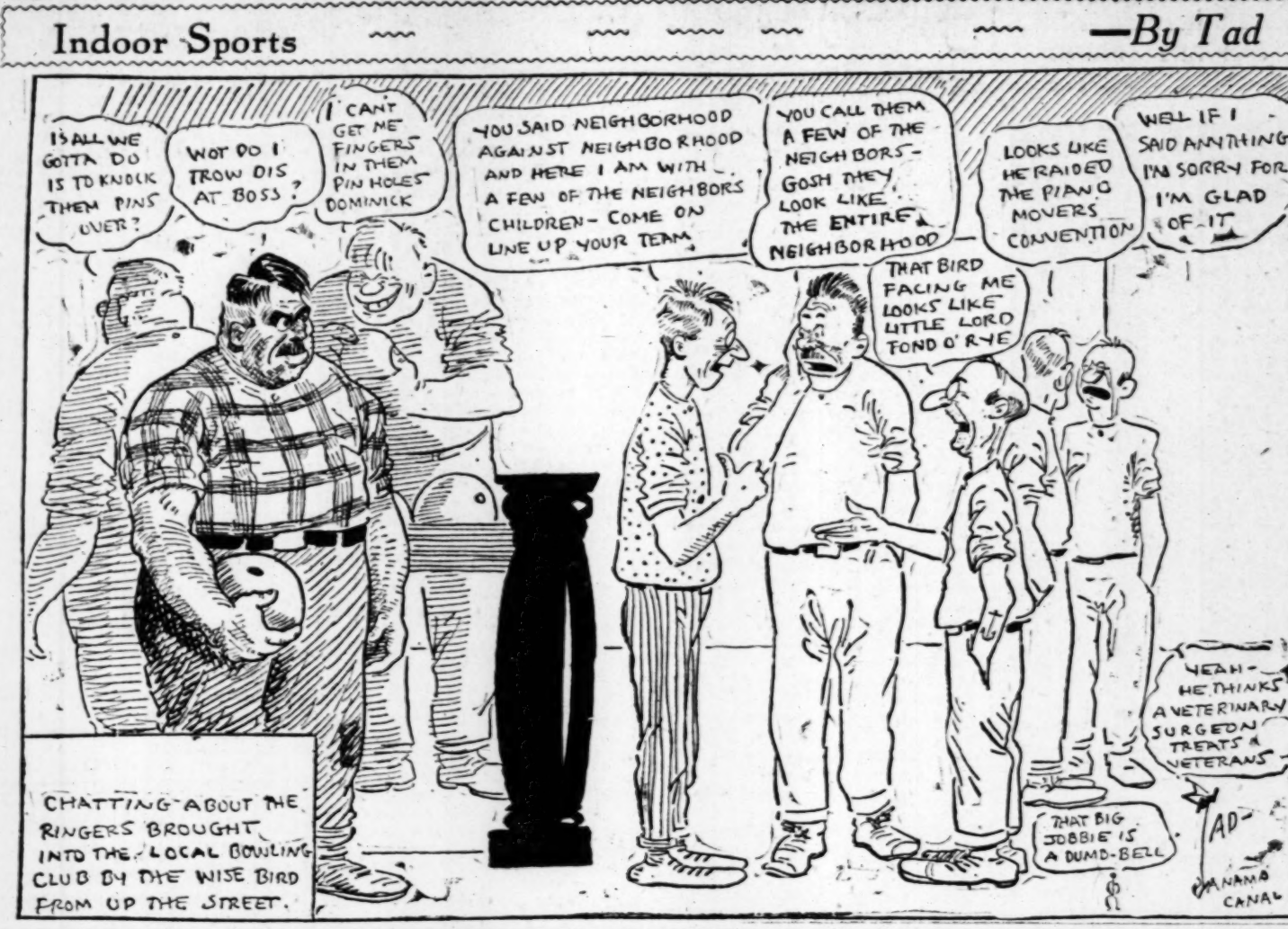
President Heydler's statement follows:

"I have been informed that O'Connell will not play in the California Basketball League. This prompt action by President Maher of that organization I believe has saved Kelly, Bohne and the other three players from making a serious blunder."

Unless some new angle develops President Heydler intimated he would take no further action.

Although O'Connell was immediately dismissed from the basketball league by the president, Heydler earlier in the day said he would continue with his investigation, Kelly, who was mentioned by O'Connell as one who approached him in the attempted bribery of the San Francisco Giants, to "throw" a game to the Giants late in the season and later was cleared by Landis, was according to reports, to play in the city games with O'Connell's contract called for only out-of-town appearances.

Manager McGraw, who ordered his second baseman, Frank Frisch, to refrain from playing basketball in the winter months, said that



## County Fives to Play This Week

Maplewood and U. C. Will Meet in Feature Basketball Game.

The County High School Basketball League officially opens Friday night when three games will be played. Clayton opposes Ritenour at Ritenour; Maplewood plays University City at Maplewood and Webster meets Weston at Weston.

While Clayton is not a flashy five, the team is expected to make a bid for the championship. Inability will cost Coach Hall, Palmer, a center and Chase, a forward. These players will be eligible at the end of the term. Haffner, a forward, and Kenney and Boldt, guards, all veterans, will be in the opening game.

The Maplewood-University City fray is expected to be the feature. Coach Wahlbrink has Henriott and Prather, forwards, Capt. Falkner, center, and McLannan and Mutschler, as guards. Capt. Pelot head Coach Markley's five, with Van O'Neil, center, and Barker, forwards, and Lytle, Nash and Johnson, as guards.

WRAY'S COLUMN

## A "Monumental" Folly.

FOR three years the American League's offer to build a \$100,000 monument to baseball to be placed in Potomac Park, Washington, has been parked back and forth between the two houses of Congress. Yesterday came what appears to have been a final kick. An attempt to call out a resolution to accept the gift was negated by several voices, without explanation.

Back to the dust and the archives goes the monumental folly. If it ever comes out again it will have to be in a new dress. For as it stands it is unlovely, even to the uncritical eyes of our Senators and Representatives.

## At Tia Juana.

FIRST RACE, 4-year-olds and up, claiming, \$1000. 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122nd, 123rd, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132nd, 133rd, 134th, 135th, 136th, 137th, 138th, 139th, 140th, 141st, 142nd, 143rd, 144th, 145th, 146th, 147th, 148th, 149th, 150th, 151st, 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# WESTERN A. A. U. BOXING TRIALS ARE AWARDED TO ST. LOUIS

## Victors in Contests at Coliseum to Be Eligible For National Tournament

If Receipts at Show Next Month Are Sufficient the Winners in Each Class Will Be Sent East for Championships — Committee Expects 30 or 40 Entries.

By Dent McSkimming.

The Western A. A. U. boxing trials in which competitors for the national championships are determined, will be held in St. Louis late next month. President Verne R. C. Lacy of the Western district last night awarded the tournament to St. Louis, although Little Rock, Ark., had requested the privilege of holding the event.

Robert L. Probst, chairman of the Registration Committee which is in charge of boxing announced today that the tournament would be held in the Coliseum under the direction of the committee assisted by officials of the South Broadway A. C., and the Business Men's A. C.

At a meeting last night, the committee decided upon several essential details connected with the western trials. A scale of prizes suggested but not definitely adopted follows: Ringside (first six rows) \$3; balance of the first floor, \$2; balcony \$2 and \$1.50; gallery 50 cents. The scale may be altered, Chairman Probst said.

A One Night Tournament. The tournament will be completed in one night although the committee realizes that there may be 30 or 40 entries. It will be an elimination affair leading to a championship in each weight class. Every boxer who enters the tournament and is accepted will be given a prize. If he wins the title in his class he will be given a gold medal; if he reaches the final and is defeated he will receive a silver medal and if he is eliminated before reaching the final he will receive a bronze medal.

Clubs Must Be Registered. A very important announcement by Chairman Probst, who addressed the promoters and representatives of various clubs who were present, was the determination of the committee to refuse to accept the entry of any boxer who represents a club which is not a member of the A. A. U. To obtain club membership, an organization must pay a fee of \$10 for the first year and \$5 annually thereafter. Only three clubs are now paid-up members. They are the South Broadway A. C., the Business Men's A. A., and the Jefferson Barracks.

This rule will not be enforced at tonight's show at the Jefferson Barracks Post Hall, but in all future tournaments the committee will enforce the order which is part of the A. A. U. code.

There were 15 persons connected with amateur boxing in this district present at last night's meeting. The committee discussed the boxing rules in full and emphasis was placed upon two new provisions which will serve to bar from promotion of the amateur game all persons connected with professional boxing and will also prevent amateur boxing exhibitions in connection with theatrical entertainments.

New System of Prize Awards. It was also agreed that, after the show at the Barracks tomorrow, prizes for contestants will be determined in a different manner. In the future, when a boxer wins his bout, he will be taken to a member of the committee seated at the ringside and he will be asked to specify

## 5 Boxers Suspended by A. A. U. Committee for Rules Violation

THE first suspensions imposed by the Registration Committee of the A. A. U. since the committee was created, three months ago, were announced today by Chairman Robert Probst. Five boxers were placed under the ban, three because of failure to appear at the Business Men's tournament at the Coliseum last week and two for alleged professionalism.

Charles Roettger (South Broadway A. C.), George W. Sullivan (Jefferson Barracks) and Thomas Lavene (unattached), whose home address is 4553 Thrush avenue, were suspended until June 21 because of failure to appear after having submitted entries. Alex Vazquez and Raymond Erker, both unattached, were suspended indefinitely because of alleged professionalism.

what type of prize he prefers. The commissioner will have order blanks in his possession and he will fill them out in accordance with the wishes of the boxers. Thus, the complaint that boxers are being forced to accept prizes for which they have no need or particular liking will be removed. The A. A. U. rules prohibit the giving of wearing apparel (except gymnasium equipment) as a prize. The value of prizes will be not in excess of \$10 for Class C, \$20 for Class B and \$25 in Class A.

Barracks Program Promising. More than 20 entries have been received for the tournament to be held tomorrow evening at Jefferson Barracks. The award of a team trophy which will go to the organization whose boxers win the greatest number of bouts has resulted in an increased interest on the part of the clubs. The South Broadway A. C. has entered 11 boxers.

## Bell Made More Errors Than Any A. A. Shortstop

Cardinal Rookie Fielded .911 With 71 Boots — Vick Had .993 Percentage.

By Herman Wecke.

Lester Bell carried off the batting championship and a majority of the slugging honors in the American Association in 1924, but he did not set any worlds afire as a fielder, official percentages of the A. A. released today, indicate. Bell in 141 games fielded but .911 for the Milwaukee club, ranking ahead of but one regular, Helge, of Toledo, with .895 in 111 clashes. The Cardinal rookie, who because of a .365 batting average will be given a chance at third base next spring, made more errors than any shortstop in the association. He had 71, an average of one every two games. He averaged 5.7 chances a game. For the season he had 295 putouts, 453 assists and 71 errors.

Catchers Fielded Well. Of the players brought up from the A. A. by the two St. Louis clubs, the two catchers, Vick of the Cardinals and Dixon of the Browns, had the best fielding marks. Vick in 28 clashes fielded .993 with but one error in a total of 142 chances offered. Dixon finished with .989 with 14 boots and 637 accepted chances.

Ralph Shimmers, outfielder, who comes to the Cardinals from Toledo, fielded but .944 in 142 contests. He had 23 errors, more than any other player except Elmer Smith, who goes to the Reds. Smith, a former major leaguer, had 26. Shimmers had 274 putouts and 13 assists.

Joe Giard, the southpaw, who will try to make the grade with the Browns, had 100 assists, more than any other pitcher and made

## Makes American Debut Tonight



PAAVO NURMI.

more errors with 11. He fielded but .913 in 42 contests.

But St. Louis rookies were not the only ones to fall down. Charley Dressen, the highly touted St. Paul third sacker, sold to the Reds, had 27 errors, the high mark for third sacker. Dressen also was high in total chances with 207 putouts and 361 assists in 164 clashes. He fielded .959.

Ray Schmandt, St. Louis boy, topped the first sackers in fielding with a percentage of .992, while Johnny Neun, Tiger rookie, finished with .988. Fred Schleichner, former Brownie, had a mark of .999 with Toledo.

Johnny Lavan, former Brown, Senator and Cardinal, now manager of the Kansas City club, finished his A. A. season with a fielding mark of .926 with 22 errors in 57 contests.

## Nurmi to Run in First Events in America Tonight

Finnish Star to Face Good Fields in Mile and 5000-Meter Races.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Paavo Nurmi, greatest of the world's runners at 1500, 2000 and 5000 meters on cinder tracks, a reputation established at the Olympic Games in Paris last summer, awaits his first indoor event at Madison Square Garden tonight in the Finnish-American Athletic Club meet.

Joie Ray of Chicago and Jimmy Connolly will be among his opponents in the mile event, and Willie Ritola, a countryman, will be in the 5000 meter field.

Never did a runner face a greater test than this—two races in one night on an indoor track, to which he is unaccustomed, against superb athletes.

Against Ray, considered by Americans the greatest of indoor milers, Nurmi must show his best speed over the shorter distance. Ray, although he has declared he needs another week of conditioning, is confident. Connolly, collegiate champion, while a student at Georgetown, covered the distance in four minutes, 19.45 seconds a few nights ago at Buffalo. He, too, came to conquer.

Despite Nurmi's ability to withstand the rigors of two events in one day, demonstrated on several occasions, Americans look for the most stirring competition the Finn ever has known. The possibility that the large American field in the mile might sacrifice a pacesetter was mentioned today, but found little favor, and it is expected that Nurmi will have every chance to show his mettle against the field as individuals.

## EYDLER Soccer Players Would Keep Tab on Gate Receipts

Meeting Thursday Will Name Committee to Wait on Local League Officials.

By Dent McSkimming.

Disappointment over the fact that they received but small remuneration for their efforts in the day exhibition games, has led players of the St. Louis Soccer League to call a meeting for Friday evening at the Northrup Hall, Elliot and St. Louis streets.

The purpose of the meeting is to elect a committee to wait upon officials of the St. Louis Soccer and Athletic Co. to perfect an agreement whereby the players or their representatives can check the receipts at each game and certify the list of expenses and returns.

Players of the local professional league are paid a pro rata share of the gate receipts after expenses the holding company's share of the net has been deducted. The amount of money they receive for their services depends upon how much is taken at the gate, some of the players voiced a desire to know precisely how much is taken in each game.

Players' Contracts Held Up. Ray Wawer and Grant Brannon, star players of the defunct Gunther club, who have been released by Manager Harry Ratigan, are playing for his team in the St. Louis Soccer League, probably will compete in the professional league next Sunday. Their transfer from the Municipal League to Ratigan club has been held up by Andrew Brown, secretary of the United States Football Association, a letter to officials of the Municipal League and to George Kline, secretary of the Missouri State U. S. F. A. Brown has told that Wawer and Brannon were signed on professional as members of the Vesper team for the season of 1923-1924 and though they have been duly released by the Vesper management, they have never been signed on the official form by the Schumacher order for Ratigan to make use of the players. It will be necessary to have them signed on professional contracts as members of the Schumacher, released from that club, signed again on professional contracts by Ratigan.

Must Sign "Pro" Contracts. Brown's letter calls attention to the fact that all players in the Municipal Soccer League who have at any time signed by a professional club must be signed on the official form when registered in Municipal League players. The offering of Wawer and Brannon has served to bring to light the nature of the Municipal League's rule with this rule of the U. S.

It is possible to reinstate a soccer player from professional to amateur status but the operation is not successful without a fee of \$5. Therefore, the ex-professional league players who join Municipal League have merely signed the Municipal contract and have not both to be reinstated at \$5 per head, very time a professional player signed to a contract a fee of \$5 must accompany the contract, which is sent to the office of the United States Football Association.

30 Players Wrongly Signed. His letter to the Municipal League, Brown advises that all players now in the league who were previously time signed as professional players should be immediately registered with the U. S. F. A. as professionals. This means about 30 players must be re-registered to professional forms with accompanying 25 cents fee which will go to the U. S. F. A. secretary.

Players Joe Spritz, Joe Diaz and Ray Rochnick, all formerly of Schumacher, will appear in the top of the Ratigan club Sunday.

Cubs Sign Outfielder.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Mel Kerr, 29, umpire baseball player from St. Louis, will be one of the Chicago players in the coming season. President William L. Veeck announced today. A Cub fan saw Kerr in the outfield and at first in Canada last summer and President Veeck about him was offered a contract which ended.

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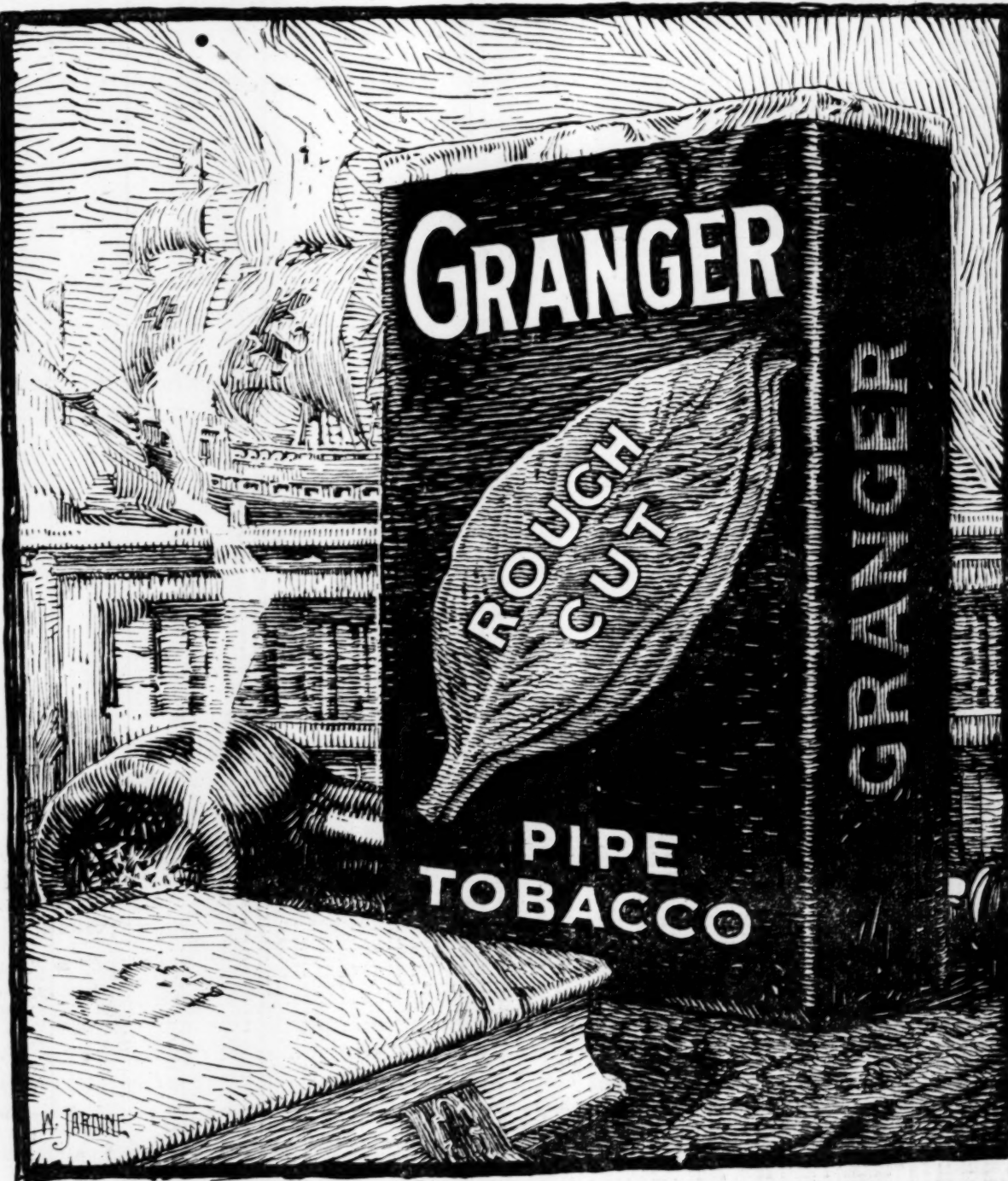
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## BASKETBALL GAME TO FEATURE OPENING OF M'BRIDE GYMNASIUM

The feature event of the week at the newly opened McBride High School, formerly Kilgus, will be the formal opening of the gymnasium by the Alumni Association Thursday night. A feature will be a basketball game in which a team composed of former captains will oppose the present quintet.

The Alumni five will be made up of the following players: Frank Meara, captain, 1917-1918; Frank Moore, '17-18; George Clark, '18-19; John Kelly, '19-20; Paul Rottermund, '20-21; Ray Krings, '21-22; William Posperting, '22-23; and George Morris, '23-24. Charley Reber will referee.

Between halves there will be a

## YALE TO MEET PENN ELEVEN NEXT SEASON

By the Associated Press. NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 6.—Yale's football schedule for 1925 duplicates that of 1924 with but three exceptions, according to the schedule given out last night. The University of Pennsylvania will play Yale on Oct. 17 in New Haven, taking the place of Dartmouth. The Yale-Pennsylvania game will be the first between the two universities since 1892.

The opening date, Oct. 2, has been given to Middlebury College of Vermont. student drill, while the old Kenrick and new McBride songs will be sung. After the game, the building will be open for inspection, while there also will be a dance.

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# RAIL SHARES FEATURE OF STOCK TRADE

Raising of Atchafalpa Dividend Rate to 7 Per Cent Helps — Industrial List Also Influenced by Dividend Actions.

By Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted financial review today, says:  
The market today was characterized by a strong recovery in the industrial shares, which were generally higher than at the close of the previous session. The recovery was due to a number of factors, including the raising of the dividend rate on the Atchafalpa stock to 7 per cent, and the fact that the industrial list was generally higher than at the close of the previous session. The market was also influenced by the fact that the dividend rate on the Atchafalpa stock was raised to 7 per cent, and the fact that the industrial list was generally higher than at the close of the previous session.

Foreign Exchanges Steady.  
The foreign exchanges were fairly steady today, with the principal currencies showing little change. The dollar was steady at 100, and the pound was steady at 100. The market was also influenced by the fact that the dividend rate on the Atchafalpa stock was raised to 7 per cent, and the fact that the industrial list was generally higher than at the close of the previous session.

Future Grain Prices.  
The future grain prices were generally higher today, with the principal grains showing a strong recovery. The market was also influenced by the fact that the dividend rate on the Atchafalpa stock was raised to 7 per cent, and the fact that the industrial list was generally higher than at the close of the previous session.

Changes are Higher on Grain Market.  
The changes in the grain market were generally higher today, with the principal grains showing a strong recovery. The market was also influenced by the fact that the dividend rate on the Atchafalpa stock was raised to 7 per cent, and the fact that the industrial list was generally higher than at the close of the previous session.

# NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Total sales on the New York Stock Exchange today were 1,706,100 shares, compared with 2,375,000 yesterday. Total sales for the week were 10,000,000 shares, compared with 11,000,000 for the week ending Jan. 1. The market was generally higher today, with the principal stocks showing a strong recovery.

| Stocks and Bonds              | High | Low | Close | Change |
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| Atchafalpa                    | 100  | 98  | 99    | +1     |
| Atchafalpa 7%                 | 100  | 98  | 99    | +1     |
| Atchafalpa 7% 1/2             | 100  | 98  | 99    | +1     |
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# NEW YORK BOND MARKET

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Following is an official list of bonds traded in on the New York Stock Exchange today with prices up to and including the close of the market. Total sales today were \$1,139,000, against \$14,620,000 yesterday. \$17,500,000 from Jan. 1 to date sales were \$1,706,100 two years ago.

| Bonds                         | High | Low | Close | Change |
|-------------------------------|------|-----|-------|--------|
| Atchafalpa                    | 100  | 98  | 99    | +1     |
| Atchafalpa 7%                 | 100  | 98  | 99    | +1     |
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| Atchafalpa 7%                 | 100  | 98  | 99    | +1     |
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| Wheat                         | High | Low | Close | Change |
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| Atchafalpa                    | 100  | 98  | 99    | +1     |
| Atchafalpa 7%                 | 100  | 98  | 99    | +1     |
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Chicago Board of Trade.  
The Chicago Board of Trade was generally higher today, with the principal stocks showing a strong recovery. The market was also influenced by the fact that the dividend rate on the Atchafalpa stock was raised to 7 per cent, and the fact that the industrial list was generally higher than at the close of the previous session.

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## CHANGES ARE HIGHER ON GRAIN MARKET

ST. LOUIS STOCK EXCHANGE.  
Jan. 6.—Prices were mixed but generally higher on the Exchange today. Hydraulic brick preferred sold higher than Monday; United Railway preferred was stronger. Sales recorded on the Exchange follow:

| Security                      | Sales | Price | Net |
|-------------------------------|-------|-------|-----|
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| Atchafalpa 7%                 | 100   | 98    | 99  |
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## RAILROAD STOCKS

RAILROAD STOCKS were generally higher today, with the principal stocks showing a strong recovery. The market was also influenced by the fact that the dividend rate on the Atchafalpa stock was raised to 7 per cent, and the fact that the industrial list was generally higher than at the close of the previous session.

## INDUSTRIAL STOCKS

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100,000 Requests for Invitations to Inaugural of Texas' Woman Governor Jan. 20.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 6.—The inauguration of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson as the first woman Governor of Texas, Jan. 20, will be an elaborate affair. Austin expects to receive that day a larger crowd of visitors than on any previous occasion. All the hotels are "sold out" two weeks before the event, and it is expected that the visitors will far exceed the record crowd of 25,000 persons which swarmed in Thanksgiving day for the Texas-A. and M. football game.

The formal induction of Mrs. Ferguson will occur at noon in the house of Representatives, with the Senate present and as many spectators as can crowd into the hall built to accommodate 5000. Ten thousand invitations, used being mailed out by a force of 40 clerks, with requests pouring in from every corner of the continent. A New York bank has asked for 75 invitations for its officers and employees and a similar request has come from Chicago. If all requests are complied with, it will require 100,000 invitations, said Col. John L. Peeler, chairman of the committee.

Whether "Ma" Ferguson will be sworn in by a State officer or a Notary Public is for her to decide. Texas has in the Supreme Court a Bible which has been used successively in administering the oath to each of the Governors of Texas since the first, in 1846. If the oath is administered by a member of the Supreme Court, as has always been the custom heretofore, Mrs. Ferguson will be the first woman to kiss the volume.

All Austin apparently will dance the evening after the ceremony. In the Senate chamber an elaborate reception and ball will be accorded Mrs. Ferguson, and dancing will be part of the program in hotel dining rooms. Advance reservations for dancing at the various places indicate that all will be packed. To accommodate the throng of visitors, private citizens have been asked to open their homes, and many visitors will sleep, if they sleep at all, in Pullman cars on railroad sidings.

### 1925 BALLOON RACES WILL START FROM ST. JOSEPH, MO.

National Elimination Trials to Select Entries for International Event To Be Held In May

By the Associated Press.  
ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 6.—St. Joseph was today selected by the contest committee of the National Aeronautic Association as the starting point of the 1925 national elimination balloon races, to be held the latter part of May.

The St. Joseph Chamber of Commerce has underwritten the event for \$20,000 and agreed to meet all conditions regarding prizes, transportation, supply of gas and other things in connection with the races.

This will be the seventeenth national elimination balloon race to be held in the United States, the winner to compete in the international balloon races to be held later in the year in Europe. The maximum number that can start in the national event is 14 and the minimum five. St. Joseph will offer a bonus of \$10 to each contestant whose balloon rises from the starting field. In connection with the balloon races, it is planned to stage an aviation program with prizes for various heavier-than-air machines.

### RECEIVERSHIP SUIT AGAINST EMERSON ELECTRIC DISMISSED

The receivership suit against the Emerson Electric Manufacturing Co. was dismissed yesterday at the request of the plaintiff, C. R. Weston of New York. Weston's attorney, W. W. Henderson, said a "happy solution" of their differences has been reached by parties to the suit.

Filing of the suit last September was followed by taking of the deposition of H. L. Parker, chairman of the board of the company, in which he denied Weston's allegation that he and other directors conducted the company to the disadvantage of minority stockholders. Parker died before concluding his deposition, and no other depositions were taken.

To Protect Alaskan Game.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—The House yesterday passed a bill authorizing the creation of an Alaskan game commission to protect game animals, land fur-bearing animals and birds in that Territory.

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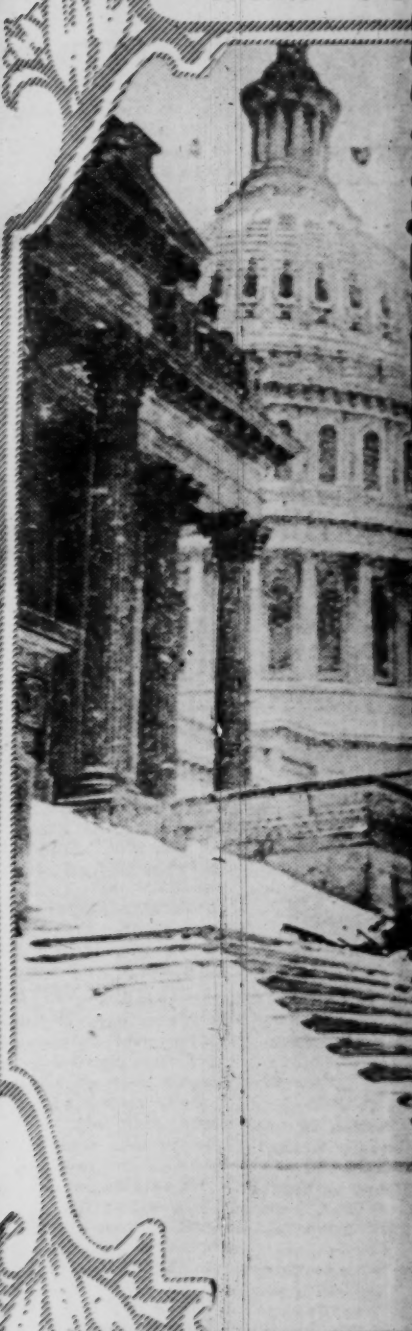
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Premier Benito Mussolini of  
Milan, where he is acclaimed

### PRINCE HENRY'S FUTURE BRIDE?



Lady Mary Scott, second  
daughter of the Duke and  
Duchess of Buccleuch, who,  
according to rumor in high  
British society, is to become  
engaged to Prince Henry the  
military member of the British  
royal family.

—International Newsweek Photo



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## NEW USE FOR CAPITOL



The Capitol steps make one of the best toboggan slides in the city of Washington, and the pages of the House of Representatives are reporting for work these mornings with their sleds tucked under their arms.

—Wide World Photo

## WOMAN SECRETARY OF NEW YORK TAKES OFFICE



Mrs. Florence E. S. Knapp, dean of the College of Home Economics at Syracuse University, became Secretary of State at Albany on New Year's day.

—P. A. Photo

## POPE PIUS OPENS HOLY YEAR CEREMONY



Pope Pius XI and his court arriving at the Vatican inaugural exhibition to open this exhibition, the first actual ceremony of the beginning of the holy year.

—International Newsphoto

## SENTENCED TO PRISON



Countess Louise Esterhazy, who has been sentenced by a court at Nitra, Slovakia, to one year's imprisonment and a fine of 20,000 crowns for having conspired, between 1921 and 1923, to restore Slovakia to Hungary.

—P. A. Photo

## HONORING A BISHOP



This curious picture, recently sent from Cyprus, shows the dead Bishop of Kettium enthroned, while a monk stands guard over the remains.

—P. A. Photo

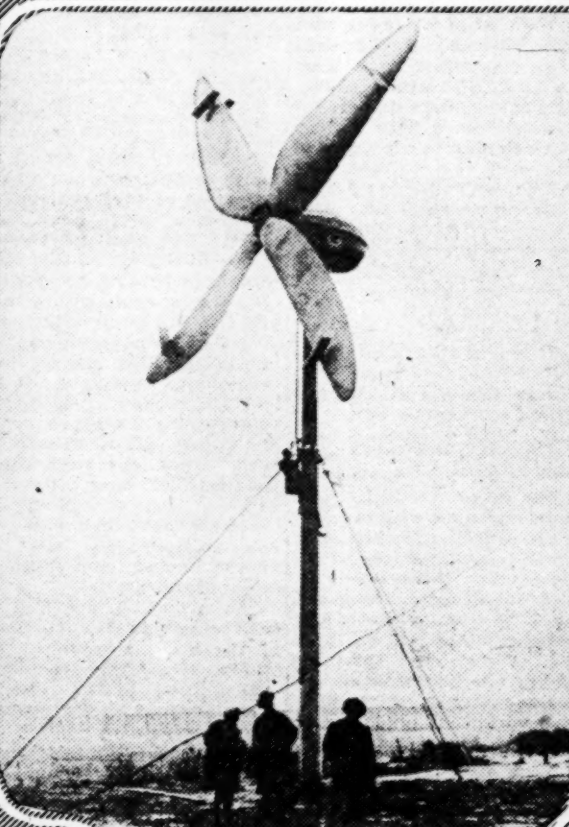
## POPULARITY OF MUSSOLINI



Premier Benito Mussolini of Italy alighting from his motor in Milan, where he is acclaimed by a great throng.

—Wide World Photo

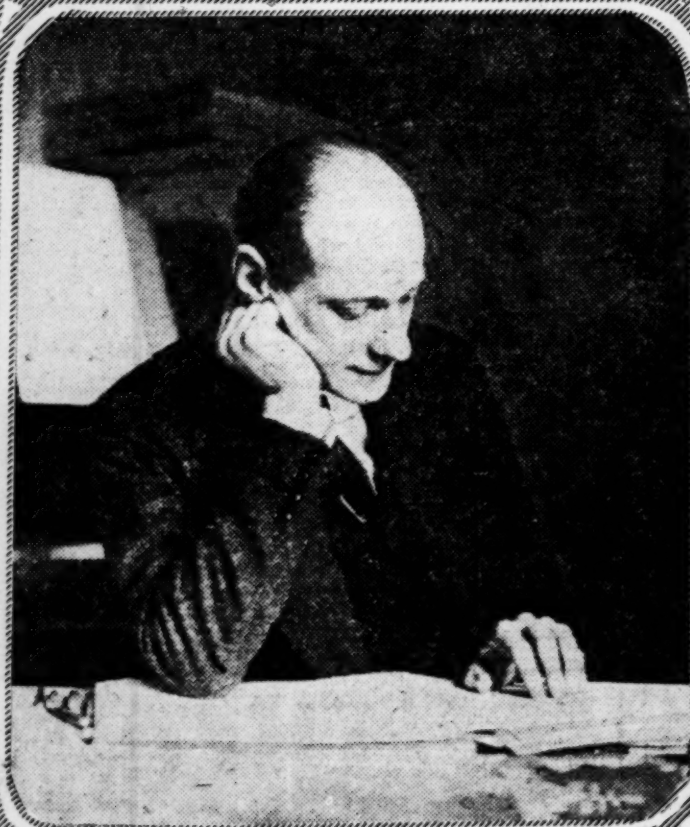
## GERMAN INVENTION



Major Bilay, a German officer, has invented the aerodynamo, a windpower machine built in accordance with the latest aerodynamic advances. In the drop shaped wind head there is a current generator which can supply current for any required use. The whole plant is portable and can be erected in six hours, this fact making it of great use for agriculture.

—P. A. Photo

## WRITES BALLET FOR PARIS



Blair Fairchild of Boston, a graduate of Harvard, whose ballet, "Le Songe d'Isfendiar," will be played early this month at the Paris opera.

—Wide World Photo

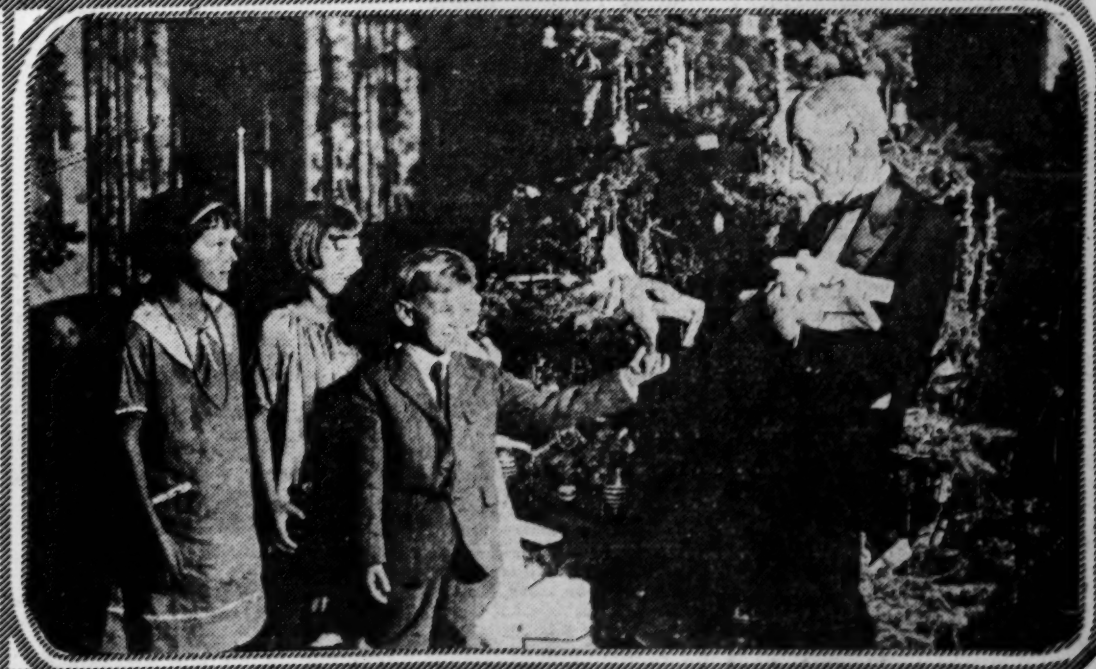
## CADET WRITES BEST BOOK



Lucien Hubert, cadet at St. Cyr, who has been awarded the Audiffred Grand Prix, given by the Academie de Sciences et Morales for the best book of the year in France.

—Wide World Photo

## ROCKEFELLER IN LITTLE KNOWN ROLE



John D. Rockefeller is 85 years old and this is the first time he has permitted a news photographer to make pictures of his annual Christmas party for the kiddies of Ormond Beach, Fla., where he has his winter home.

—Poligram

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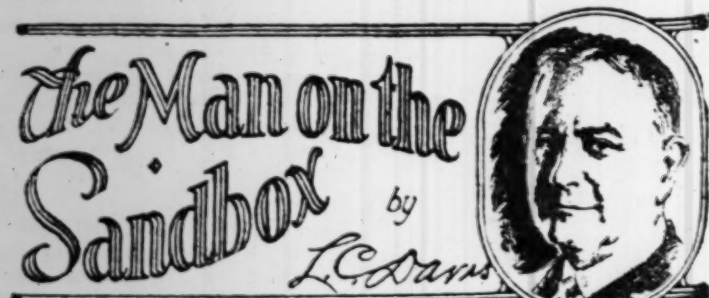






LEGISLATURE GETS  
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INTO ACTION FOR  
INVESTIGATIONSSenate, Under Democratic  
Control, to Dig Into  
Record of Important  
State Departments.REFORM OF BANKING  
LAWS IS PLANNEDEffort Will Be Made to Bet-  
ter Protect Depositors;  
Few New Acts Now  
Contemplated.By CURTIS A. BETTS.  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-  
Dispatch.JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 7.—The  
Missouri Legislature convened at  
noon today for its fifty-third bi-  
ennial session, which, under plans in  
process of completion, is expected  
to be devoted very largely to in-  
vestigation of the administration of  
virtually every important depart-  
ment of the State Government dur-  
ing the last four years.After hearing from many Sen-  
ators reports of alleged irregulari-  
ties in at least five departments, a  
decision virtually was reached at  
conference of Democratic Senators  
yesterday afternoon and last night  
to appoint a committee of lawyers,  
both Democrats and Republicans,  
to dig deeply into official records  
of departments and State institu-  
tions.The committee probably will be  
headed by Senator Harris of Rolla  
and will number among its mem-  
bership Senators Donnelly of Leb-  
anon and Cave of Fulton, though  
the size of the committee remains  
to be fixed. Its personnel will be  
chosen by Senator Painter of Car-  
rollton, President pro tem of the  
Senate.Departments Affected.  
According to information which  
leaked from the conference of Sen-  
ators, the departments to be in-  
vestigated include the State Board of  
Health, the State Highway Com-  
mission, the Department of Fi-  
nance, the State Penal Board, with  
particular attention to the State  
Penitentiary, and the State Insur-  
ance Department.It is the intention of the Senate  
majority to keep the committee in  
continual action throughout the  
session of the Legislature, working  
at department to department  
until all concerning which reports  
of irregularities have reached the  
Senate, have been investigated.One leading Senator on the ma-  
jority side today said that the im-  
pending action was not to be taken  
as an indication of a desire to  
embarrass the administration of  
Governor-elect Baker.Nature of Investigation.  
"The investigation will be of de-  
partments," he said, "and will have  
nothing whatever to do with the  
Baker administration, except, of  
course, as the developments might  
possibly involve men retained in of-  
fices by the incoming administra-  
tion. It might be that certain con-  
firmations would be delayed until  
details of the investigation were  
completed.""We realize that a Republican  
was elected Governor and in mat-  
ters political we expect to rec-  
ognize the right of the administra-  
tion to take a political stand. At  
the beginning we will not antici-  
pate what political party will en-  
ter the business affairs of the State.  
Though, of course, we do not ex-  
pect jobs to go to Democrats ex-  
cept in those places to which the  
law requires that a person of op-  
posite political faith to that of the  
Governor be appointed."However, in that connection, we  
do expect that real Democrats will  
be appointed to places which under  
the law go to Democrats. So-  
called Democrats who voted for  
Baker or for Coolidge will have lit-  
tle chance of confirmation by this  
Senate."Banking Law Amendments.  
It is not the expectation that this  
session of the Legislature will pass  
any bills. There probably will be  
amendments to the banking laws to  
guard better the interests of de-  
positors and probably to revise the  
penalty sections of the banking  
laws, but aside from that there is  
little indication of needed legisla-  
tion of importance.Senator Harris in a recent inter-  
view in the Post-Dispatch expressed  
the opinion that the Legislature  
should make investigations, pass  
the appropriation bills and adjourn.  
That is about the temper of the  
Senate majority, though there  
is some indication of a desire by  
majority to refuse the Governor-  
elect a general legislation he may  
be in need of. However, the  
question will not be definite-  
ly decided until the Governor's  
message of which he has  
not yet made a statement.

## THE REAL FOLKS AT HOME—AN ORCHESTRA CONDUCTOR—By BRIGGS



## THE CARTWHEEL.

THE silver dollar's coming back  
In spite of how we knock it;  
We'll tote 'em in a canvas sack,  
Instead of in our pocket.  
'Twill take but little, after all—  
A hundred dollars, maybe—  
To make us what the ladies call  
A "heavy sugar baby."

The silver cartwheel is a beaut,  
Although a trifle heavy;  
But there's a rift within the loof  
Of those who tribute levy.  
The yeggman will be out of luck  
When he is out safe-blowing,  
For he will have to use a truck  
To haul 'em where he's going.

A dollar worth a hundred cents,  
Is what we now are craving,  
To pay the overhead expense  
And make a little saving.  
At that, the cartwheel's not so bad  
And I could learn to love 'em,  
If, by some chance I only had  
A couple million of 'em.

## WHY NOT?

See where the State expects to  
get \$4,000,000 annually from the  
tax on gasoline. How about a lit-  
tle easement off on the income  
tax?

The Illinois man who never  
missed a circus is dead. He has  
gone to meet Noah, who collected  
the first megapierle.

The new Federal income tax  
blanks are out. Financially speak-  
ing they are a great improvement  
over the old ones.

"Challapin Enjoined From Sing-  
ing Opera."  
Wonder if that could be worked  
on a cornet player.

"Urges Death Penalty for Boot-  
legging."  
Fair enough. Make 'em drink  
their own stuff.

Why not include highway rob-  
bers, stick-up men and kidnappers?  
The death penalty may not be  
a deterrent but it will certainly  
make that one particular guy be-  
have himself in the future.

"Would Make White House Reposi-  
tory for Antiques."  
Oh, put 'em in Congress with the  
rest of the antiques.

Come the season of the year  
when the demon college boy has  
nothing with which to occupy his  
mind but basketball and a few  
studies.

The numerous golfers who make  
a New Year's resolution to break 90  
the coming season will probably  
break nothing but the resolution.

France proposes to square up  
with Uncle Sam in 95 years. We  
should worry.

"Allen Resigns as St. Paul Man-  
ager."  
Don't bet any money on that  
head. What he really did was re-  
sign as manager.

See where the featherweight title  
changed hands the other evening,  
passing from one Kramer to one  
Kaplan. Mr. Kaplan believes in  
getting off on the right foot when  
starting a new year.

Coach Rockne says that his boys  
received enough damage at the  
hands of Stanford without tossing  
them to the California Bears.

## MUTT AND JEFF—JEFF FIGURED HIS TIME WAS WORTH A DOLLAR AND TEN CENTS AT LEAST—By BUD FISHER

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## PEOPLE WHO PUT YOU TO SLEEP—NUMBER 80—By RUBE GOLDBERG

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## BRINGING UP FATHER—By GEORGE McMANUS



## KRAZY KAT—By HERRIMAN



## FAVORITE STORIES

By Irvin S. Cobb

## A LITTLE TRAGEDY OUT OF REAL LIFE.

Scene—The diningroom of a hotel in a smallish city  
on the Pacific Coast.

Time—The present, 9:30 a. m. of a pleasant morning.

Cast—An immaculate Englishman and a native waiter.

THE Britisher enters, takes a seat at a table, adjusts his monocle and  
considers the bill of fare. The waiter hovers in the background  
waiting to take the order.  
The guest—Waitah, I say, waitah.  
The waiter—Yes, sir, right here.  
The guest—What about breakfast, eh? I'm just in from Japan.  
Sea air gives one an appetite, eh, what? Feel a bit peckish.  
The waiter—Yes, sir, what's it going to be?  
The guest—Been at sea for days and days. Awfully hungry, don't  
you know?

The waiter—Yes, sir.  
The guest—Then, waiter, bring me bacon and eggs. Fresh eggs,  
mind you.

The waiter—Yes, sir.  
The guest—And have the bacon crisp and curled. And a pot of  
coffee—not too strong—and plenty of hot milk.

The waiter—Yes, sir.  
The guest—And buttered toast, cut thin.

The waiter—Yes, sir. Anything else?

The guest—(As though surprised)—And, of course, some marmal-  
ade.

The waiter—Sorry, sir, but I'm afraid we ain't got any marmalade.

The guest—(Rising to his feet and dropping his monocle)—What—  
no marmalade! My God, what a savage country America must be!

## THE WAY IT LOOKED TO MR. DOOLEY.

ONE of the gifted females who first introduced interpretative dan-  
cing—whatever that is—into this country, fleshed up considerably  
after the time of her initial terpsichorean triumphs among the so-  
ciety folk along the eastern seaboard. When, after several years' ab-  
sence in foreign parts, she returned to this land she was the heavy-  
weight champion of interpretative dancers. Nevertheless, she contin-  
ued to give her performances to select audiences of artistic souls.

Peter Dunne, the humorist, was lured to one of these entertain-  
ments. The lady, wearing very few clothes, and, as a result of their  
lack, looking even plumper than usual, danced in an effect of moonlight  
calcium beams.

As Dunne was leaving, one of the patronesses hailed him.  
"Oh, Mr. Dunne," she said, "how did you enjoy the madame's  
dancing?"

"Immensely," said Dunne. "Made me think of Grant's Tomb in  
love."